

ISD Daily Bulletin

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Friday, September 1, 2000

Pretty much all of the honest truth telling in the world is done by children.

– Oliver Wendell Holmes

Attitudes Toward Time

(From The Public School Administrator (September 1992)

“One who every morning plans the transactions of the day and follows out that plan carries a thread that will guide one through the labyrinth of the most busy life. The orderly arrangement of time is like a ray of light which darts itself through all his occupations. But where no plan is laid, where the disposal of time is surrendered merely to the chance of incidents, chaos will soon reign.” – Victor Hugo

Using time effectively is dependent on just one thing – your daily identification of priorities of the things you have to do. You must decide what the important objectives are in your life and then establish priorities every day in relation to these objectives. Perhaps this truth of self-management is so simple it escapes many people, and they start getting up-tight about “time”.

These frustrations of time are largely due to your attitudes toward time. Many of these attitudes are based on false assumptions. For example, you have been told that to be successful you must learn to manage your time. This is impossible. You cannot “Manage time”. It is frustrating to think you can manage something over which you have absolutely no control. But, you can learn to manage yourself. You have been working on this most of your life.

Another false assumption is when you say, “I don’t have time to do that.” Probably not so. You have the time. You just do not choose to spend it in that manner. It is probably an unpleasant task that you would rather not do. That’s OK, but why blame time? Or how about, “She has more time than I do.” Everybody has the same amount of time. But everybody spends it doing different things by choice or habit. Do you have anxieties about time? It is probably caused by trying to do too many tasks in too short a time span.

The point is that you should not be feeding all these negatives attitudes of frustration and anxiety about time into your subconscious. Self-management and person responsibility should be your concern, not time. Time is what your life is made of. It’s sweet and precious. You should not be getting uptight about it. Let’s see if we can develop a greater understanding by discussing it.

1. All great achievers have been great planners. They have the ability to organize their activity, sort out the unimportant from the important things, and invest their time in productive meaningful effort. List the activities you engage in for a day.
 - a. How many were essential as compared too trivial?
 - b. How many were planned previously?
 - c. Did you list any time spent in planning?
 - d. Was there any time spent on a long-range goal?
 - e. Self-improvement?
2. What negative affirmations are you using about time,” or “There aren’t enough hours in the day.” Or “I can’t seem to manage my time.”
3. What are your feelings and attitudes towards time? Positive? Negative? Describe.
4. The feeling that you do not have enough time is probably the frustration from lack of self-satisfactions or fulfillment. One of the best remedies for this is to grow a little every day (improve yourself), and to accomplish just a little on a long-range goal.
5. Self-management, planning and developing a system in relation to time are the secrets of getting things done. Any system or plan has to be kept simple or it won’t work. What is your reaction to either one or both of the following?

- a. At the close of each day write down the 5 most important things you have to do the next day. Then list them in the order of their importance. The next day start working on the most important thing. Don't be concerned if you don't finish all 5 things. You will always be working on the most important thing.
 - b. Or, at the end of each day, list the things you have to do the next day. The next day do the most unpleasant thing first. Your day will become more enjoyable as it goes along. You will get more done because you will have the enjoyable things to do last. A good way to eliminate procrastination!
6. Do you have a system that works for managing yourself, getting yourself organized? If so, share it with others.
 7. When is the best time to do each activity? How often?
 8. What positive affirmations and self-images can you use to get the most accomplished each day and make better use of time?
 9. Jot down a simple schedule or system that you can use to make better use of your time and manage yourself more effectively.
 10. What effect will reflection about time and self-management have on procrastination, anxieties about time and feelings of frustrations? Have any negative attitudes you might have had about time changed? If so, how?

Time is the inexplicable raw material of everything. With it, all is possible, without it, nothing. Time is the most precious of possessions...No one can take it from you. And no one receives either more or less than you receive. You have to live on the twenty-four hours of time given you each day. Out of it you have to spin health, pleasure, money, content, respect and the evolution of your immortal soul. Its right use, its effective use, is a matter of the highest urgency and of the most thrilling actuality. All depends on that – including your happiness.

“We never shall have any more time. We have and we have always had all the time there is.” – Arnold Bennett

What is the true picture of your life? Imagine that there is an hourglass on your desk. Connecting the bowl at the top with bowl at the bottom is a tube so thin that only one grain of sand can pass through it at a time...That is the true picture of life. The crowded hours come to you always a moment at a time!

Today's Activities

8:15	M. Huber	Assess
10:00	S. Marigold	ACR2
11:30	HS Football Team	leaves for North Adams, MI.
1:00	M. Flynn	ACR2
6:30	HS Football	at North Adams, MI
11:30	HS Football team	returns to ISD.

Today's Menu

- Lunch
- Ham & Cheese
- Baked Beans
- Chips
- Snoopy Ice Cream Bar

Announcements

Parking Reminder – Do NOT park in the lot east of Buildings 2 (Raney Hall), 3 (Health Center) & 4 (Willard hall) after 2:00 pm on Fridays. This area is reserved for school buses every Friday. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sports Update - ISD Varsity Volleyball beat Indianapolis Baptist, 15 - 4, 15 - 7. The JV Team didn't play. Player of Game was Pia Marie Paulone with 4 service aces and 13 assists. Our record is 5 – 1, and the next game is against Northwest on Tuesday, Sepember 5th.

ISD Cross Country met Heritage and Covenant Christian yesterday. The running course was longer than we expected (more than 3.1 miles). Only three ISD boys, Robbie Welch, Nick Curtin and Drew Robarge attended the meet. From a total of 19 boys, Robbie got 16th place, Nick Curtin got 17th and Drew got 18th. The boys never gave up against many good runners! We plan to practice harder for our next meet against Speedway/Tri-West at ISD on Wednesday, September 6th.

Phone repairs and Changes – Do NOT contact Dan Stutler with your repair or changes. *You need to get a Phone Request Form from your department's secretary, complete it and send it to BJ Helton, Switchboard Operator.* She will schedule the repair through the State's Department of Information Technology. That agency will schedule the repair or change with Ameritech. The process usually takes two weeks.

Need Paper – If your classroom or office needs paper, Dave Morphew can help. He has a wide assortment of paper in many sizes, textures and colors. Contact him during the HS lunchtime, after school or between 10:30 – 11:20 or 1:35 – 2:25. PLEASE do not contact him at other times because he is teaching classes.

Some Fun Facts about Ball State Participants

Did you know ... there are 20 BSU students studying at ISD this year?

- 2 Graduate Assistants
- 17 females
- 1 male

Did you know ... out of those 20 BSU students:

- 17 have brown hair
- 3 have blonde hair
- 2 are from Michigan

Did you know... 15 out of 20 BSU students have vehicles here at ISD

- 6 out of 15 of these vehicles are red (HINT: BSU colors)

Did you know ... these BSU students are taking four classes here at ISD:

- Speech for the Deaf - Professor: Dr. Joan Studnický
- History of the Deaf - Professor: Malcolm Peters
- ASL 3 - Professor: Wendy Whiting
- Behavior Analysis - Professor: Rosalie Rohm

Did you know ... the cities where the BSU students are from:

Matt Arnold – Huntington, IN	Melissa Latta – Muncie, IN
Liz Bearman – Fort Wayne, IN	Krista Michel – North Manchester, IN
Jen Butler – Rossville, IN	Kristyn Noblitt – Columbus, IN
Audra Eberly – South Willy, IN	Heather Pianowski – Three Rivers, MI
Jessica Edwards – Peru, IN	Angela Poe – Munster, IN
April Fulk – Fort Wayne, IN	Katie Richey – Madison, IN
Nicole Hamilton – Indianapolis, IN	Amanda Rojas – Indianapolis, IN
Danielle Hinton – Anderson, IN	Brooke Walters – South Bend, IN
Ann Kraska – South Bend,	Liz Wisniewski – Webberville, MI
Graduate Assistants:	
Abbey Brumm – Crown Point, IN	
Jenifer Hester – Evansville, IN	

Did you know... the BSU students are eager to learn ASL and more about Deaf Culture! We are thankful for the opportunity to be here, and are very excited about meeting new people and making new friends!

Opportunities

More Science Websites

Guided Tour: Visible Human Project – <http://www.madsci.org/~lynn/VH>

InnerBody – <http://www.InnerBody.com>

Neuroscience for Kids – <http://faculty.washington.edu/chudler/neurok.html>

Ocean Planet Home Page – http://www.seawifs.gsfc.nasa.gov/ocean_planet.htm

Yale center for Cell Imaging – <http://info.med.yale.edu/cellimg>

The Electronic Zoo - <http://netvet.wustl.edu/ssi.htm>

Chem4Kids - <http://www.chem4kids.com>

U.S. Geological Survey - <http://www.usgs.gov>

Virtual cave - <http://www.goodearth.com/virtcave.html>

Internet Plasma Physics Education Experience - <http://ippex.pppl.gov/ippex>

Learn Physics Today! - <http://library.advanced.org/10796>

The Franklin Institute - <http://sln.fi.edu/>

St. Louis Science Center - <http://www.sldsc.org>

Exploratorium - <http://www.exploratorium.edu>

Miami Museum of Science - <http://www.miamaisc.org>

Backyard Birding - <http://www.bcpl.net/~tross/by/feed.html#0>

SRC Duty

HS Carol Kunsak

Staff Working Off Campus

Jeff Richards will be attending the ISTEP pretest workshop at Tech HS this morning.

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary

Middle School

Ken Anderson (John Lestina is subbing.)

Pamela Gatto (Kim Galagan is subbing.)

Linda Jones (Jill Lestina is subbing.)

Becky Smith (Dawn Walker is subbing.)

High School

Principal's Office

Outreach

Judy Cass

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Tuesday, September 5, 2000

The secret of dealing successfully with a child is not to act like a parent. – Mel Lazarus

My Trip to Aguascalientes, Mexico

Occasionally, the Daily Bulletin will print a story from a student explaining an interesting event or outstanding achievement. The following is taken from an essay by Micaela Paulone.

Last summer, I went to Mexico for the Pan American track games. The USA team coordinator picked the USA Deaf players. Along with me were 3 students from Maryland and one from California. After arriving we only had one day before the games began. After practicing during the day, we went to the greening ceremony. Canada, Cuba, the USA, Mexico and Guatemala were competing. We wore our uniforms and everyone was taking pictures of the opening ceremony. We felt famous because the Mexican people were very fond of the USA players. We took pictures with them, communicated (mostly yes and no stuff) and traded. I traded for a Mexican pen and shirt.

The next day we had to get up early for the games. I was in the 12-13 year old age group. Our first event was the 80-meter run. I placed 4th in the first race and 5th in the second one. It was a bad day for me – the Cuban girl was **so fast!** On the following day, I ran in the 400 m. and led until the last 150 meters. I had trouble breathing because of the different air and finished in last place.

In the last game, the hurdles, there was no event in my age group. I was sad that I couldn't join, but my coach tried to see if I could compete in the next age group 14-15 year olds. One of the other USA players, a 14-year old, became sick so I was able to move into her place. In the hurdle race I got a quick start and soon found myself two hurdles ahead of the Mexican girls and ended in 1st place. My time was 19.4 seconds (pretty good and fun too!) The medal ceremony was cool and many people in the audience were amazed that I had won.

The rest of our time in Mexico was spent shopping and we were invited to a party at the governor's house. I'm sure this experience will be one of my life's favorite memories.

Today's Activities

9:00	Education Team Meeting
	S. Gerbrandt Assess
10:00	J. Stotts ACR
1:00	A. Lewis ACR
4:30	HS Volleyball at ISD against Northwest
4:45	MS Football Opener at ISD with Christian Park's Irish
	MS Volleyball (5 th /6 th) at Calvary Lutheran
	MS Volleyball (7 th /8 th) at New Augusta

Today's Menu

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Submarine Sandwich	Ham Steak	Pineapple Juice
French Fries	Sweet Potatoes	Dry Cereal
Ice Cream	Broccoli	Scrambled Eggs
	Fruit Cocktail	Sausage

Upcoming Activities

September 6	Class Meetings (8:00) Activity Period (8:45) HS Election 2000 in the Auditorium MS Election 2000 in the Auditorium Education Department Meetings (3:20) HS Cross Country at ISD against Speedway/TriWest (4:30)
September 7	MS MS Volleyball at ISD against Bethesda (4:30) HS Volleyball at Sheridan (5:30)
September 8	HS Volleyball at Covenant (4:30) HS Football at Union Dugger (7:30)

Announcements

Sports Update – On August 25, the ISD vs. Martinsville, Ill game ended with a score of Martinsville – 66 and ISD 14. ISD's very young team played hard but needed more experience. The quarterly points were 1st: 20 to 8; 2nd - 6 to 6; 3rd - 12 to 0; and 4th - 28 to 0. Highlights of the game included Robert Haney rushing 18 times for 204 yards and 2 touchdowns, and Enzo Hicks ran for a 2-point conversion.

The ISD Football Team played North Adams, Michigan on September 1. ISD lost 45 to 16. The scoring results each quarter were: 1st - 14 to 0 2nd - 7 to 16 3rd - 8 to 0 4th - 16 to 0. Highlights of the game included Robert Haney rushing 18 times for 147 yards. Robert ran 68 yards with nice blocking on the play for a TD. He also returned 70 yards on a kickoff for a TD. Onye Davis ran a conversion PAT for 2 points. Justin Reynolds passed successfully to Michael Muckenfuss for PAT 2 points. Robert Haney also made 25 tackles and one interception. A very young team, who will only get better with experience, competed and got hot and excited in the 2nd Quarter. But, North Adams ate the clock in the 3rd Quarter for more than 8 minutes. This seemed to take a lot out of the ISD team. Starting QB Enzo Hicks and several key players were sick or injured and missed the game. However, some young players including J.T.(Justin) Reynolds as backup QB and Flave DuPree as backup Fullback did very well and were the bright spots of the game.

Phone Directories – Wednesday, September 6 is the last day to submit changes for the new 2000-2001 Phone Directory. Send your changes to BJ Helton. Thank you.

American Sign Language Classes for Staff – At the end of today's Daily Bulletin is a list of class and times for upcoming ASL classes for staff members. The classes begin on September 11. Contact Gary Mowl if you have any questions.

Opportunities

More Websites

Geography

National Geographical Society – <http://www.nationalgeographical.com>

Jason Project - <http://www.jasonproject.org/>

Galapagosquest - <http://www.galapagosquestcom>

Discover America Through Postcards - <http://www.postcardsfrom.com>

History

American Memory - <http://www.memort.loc.gov>

America's Homepage: Plymouth, MA - <http://www.media3.net/Plymouth>

Montcalm and Wolfe - <http://www.kiva.net/~gorham/wolfe.html>

Colonial Williamsburg - <http://www.history.org>

Spanish Missions of California - <http://tqd.advanced.org/3615>

Lewis and Clark - <http://www.pbs.org/lewisandclark>

Index of Native Americans Resources on the Internet - <http://www.handksville.org/Naresources/>

Native American Indiana Resources - <http://indy4.fdl.cc..mn.us/~isk/mainmenu.html>

The Oregon Trail - <http://www.isu.edu/~trinmich/Oregontrail.html>

WestWeb - <http://www.library.csi.cuny.edu/westweb>

The American Civil War Homepage – <http://www.sunsite.utl.edu/civil~war>

The Civil War Homepage - <http://www.civil~war.net>

Civil War Page - <http://www.homepages.dsu.edu/jankej/civilwar/civilwar.htm>

Civil War World Wilde Web - <http://www.access.digex.net/~bdbboyle/cw.html>

SRC Duty

MS – Linda Jones

HS - Suzanne Bono Jackie McBroom

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary Angie Smith

Sandy Hakes (Late)

Beth Beyke

Middle School Pamela Gatto (Kim Galagan will sub.)

High School Ron Borron (John Lestina will sub.)

Linda Schipp (Late)

Elen Zook (Leaving at 11:00)

Principal's Office Kathleen Robertson

Outreach Kim Van Zuilen

School Year 2000-2001 ASL Staff Development Program

Course Descriptions

American Sign Language I

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American Sign Language II

This introductory course includes the linguistic features, cultural protocols and core vocabulary for students to function in basic ASL conversations that include: talking about family, describing people and things, asking for and giving information/clarification, expressing opinions, relating experiences, making requests, discussing feelings, describing routines and attributing qualities to others. TRAINING DURATION: 40 hours PREREQUISITES: American Sign Language I or successful demonstration of ASL I proficiency indicators through ASL I end-of-course evaluation.

American Sign Language III

This course includes the linguistic features, cultural protocols and core vocabulary for students to function in ASL conversations that include: suggestions, advice and opinions, relating a sequence of activities in jobs and traveling, explaining physical characteristics, exchanging recent news and explaining how things are done. TRAINING DURATION: .40 hours. PREREQUISITES: American Sign Language II or successful demonstration of ASL II proficiency indicators through ASL II end-of-course evaluation.

ASL Fingerspelling: Study and Practice

This course will focus on examining the role of fingerspelling in American Sign Language and the development of fingerspelling expressive and receptive skills within signed messages. TRAINING DURATION: 30 hours. PREREQUISITES: American Sign Language III or successful demonstration of ASL III proficiency indicators through end-of-course evaluation. Beginning fingerspelling development is part of ASL I, II and III courses.

ASL Conversations Practice

This course is designed to provide students with strategies and practice on conversations in one-to-one and small groups in ASL. Different tasks of discourse analysis in ASL conversations will be studied and practiced. Tasks include beginning conversations, adding background information, opinions or personal experiences, repeating important information, correcting mistakes and ending conversations. Additionally, conversational strategies such as turn-taking, backchannel feedback, interrupting, gaining attention, awaiting and maintaining eye contact and regulating conversations will be discussed and practiced. TRAINING DURATION: 30 hours. PREREQUISITES: American Sign Language III or successful demonstration of ASL III proficiency indicators through end-of-course evaluation.

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ASL I	Student Life	W	10:00 – 11:00 PM
ASL I	Dietary		
	Security	T	8:30 – 9:20 AM
ASL I	Health Center	TH	8:30 – 9:30 AM
ASL I	Business Office	T	10:00 – 11:00 AM
ASL I	Student Life	T	10:00 – 11:00 PM
ASL I	Student Life	TH	10:00 – 11:00 PM
ASL I	Security	TH	11:15 PM – 12:15 AM
ASL I	Student Life	T	12:30 – 1:30 AM
ASL I	Student Life	TH	12:30 – 1:30 AM
ASL I	Health Center	TH	1:30 – 2:30 AM
ASL I	Dietary	F	1:00 – 1:45 PM
ASL I/II	Health Center	W	3:30 – 4:30 PM
ASL II	Health Center	W	8:30 – 9:30 AM
ASL II	Education	T	3:15 – 4:15 PM
ASL II	Dietary	T	3:30 – 4:20 PM
ASL II/III	Dietary	F	8:30 – 9:15 AM
ASL III	Education	TH	3:15 – 4:15 PM
ASL Conversations	Student Life	MW	9:30 – 10:00 PM
ASL Conversations	Student Life	T	11:30 PM – 12:30 AM
ASL Fingerspelling	Student Life	TTH	9:30 – 10:00 PM

Notes

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The human heart, at whatever age, opens only to the heart that opens in return.
— Maria Edgeworth

FIREBALLS AT WORK

FIREBALLS to Mike Paulone and Cynthia Reynolds for finding a Deaf person in northeast Indiana, who is interested in becoming a First Steps provider. She will be able to provide home visits for Deaf and Hard of Hearing children in her home area. Yeah!

Hats off to Brenda Tress-Mowl for helping to set up ASL classes for Preschool and Elementary families. Christine Wood, a new parent of Lance Wood, will begin teaching ASL to parents of Preschool and Elementary students every Wednesday and Thursday from 9:45 to 10:45 am. This will begin on September 6 (today) in Room 115 of Preschool.

Today's Activities

8:00	Class Meetings
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	HS Election 2000 in the Auditorium
	MS Election 2000 in the Auditorium
1:00	D. Scheetz ACR
3:20	Education Department Meetings
3:40	K. Wicks CC
4:30	HS Cross Country at ISD against Speedway/TriWest

Today's Menu

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Chili Mac w/Beans	Chicken Nuggets	Orange Juice
Cheese/Crackers	Cheesy Noodles	Dry Cereal
Salad	Green Beans	Scrambled Eggs w/Cheese
Neapolitan Ice Cream	Peaches	Ham
		Danish or Donuts

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Announcements

Sports Update – The ISD Varsity Volleyball claimed its 6th victory over Northwest, 15 - 2, 15 - 0. The Player of Game was Valerie Sharer with 4 serving aces and 4 kills. The team's current record is 6 – 1. The Junior Varsity Team also won 15 – 8 and 15 – 6. Our next match will be against Sheridan this Thursday (Away).

The 7th/8th Grade Volleyball Team won 15 – 4 and 15 13 against New Augusta.

No scores were available for 5th/6th Grade Volleyball or MS Football.

Library News – September is the Library Card Month. Linda Cantz will be going around to each department and checking to ensure that every student has a library card. Please ask the library staff for a form to fill out for a library card if you don't have one. The library card will enable students and staff to check out materials from the library, or place a hold for you for

materials from other libraries and in some cases, open certain databases on the Internet for your research. The materials from other libraries will be picked up and delivered to the school by the I-MCPL courier.

For the Education Staff – Fridays are Black and Organge Day. Show your school spirit by wearing the school colors. Education staff is permitted to wear blue jeans on Waiver days such as the one coming on Fridfay, September 15.

SRC Duty

MS – Linda Jones
HS - Suzanne Bono Mary Kovatch

Staff Absences

Preschool	
Elementary	Chris Fetzer (Ted Myhre is subbing.)
Middle School	Pamela Gatto (Kim Galagan is subbing.)
High School	Kay Sellers (Jill Lestina is subbing until 12:10.) Rashelle Powers (Linda Krieger is subbing.)
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Revised ASL Class Schedule

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Any place that anyone young can learn something useful from someone with experience is an educational institution. – Al Capp

FIREBALLS AT WORK

FIREBALLS to our technology guru, Jim Frenchik, for assisting High School and Middle School Departments in their Election 2000 programs yesterday.

Today's Activities

8:30	K. Crohn	CC
9:00	D. Paulone	Assess
10:00	W. Lee	ACR
11:00	M. Ahmed	CC
2:00	R. Kikuchi	CC
2:30	K. Ogan	CC
3:00	L. Perez	HE
4:30	MS Volleyball at ISD against Bethesda	
5:30	HS Volleyball at Sheridan	

Today's Menu

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Roast Pork au Jus	Ravioli w/Mozzarella	Grape Juice
Rice Pilaf	Salad	Dry Cereal
Brussel Sprouts	Garlic Bread	French Toast
Fresh Grapes	Pineapple	Bacon

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ANnouncements

Sports Update - Yesterday was perfect weather for our Cross Country meet against Speedway and Tri-West at ISD. The team scores were: 1st Place - Tri-West, 2nd Place - Speedway and 3rd Place - ISD. Four ISD boys were involved from a total of 18 boys. Jacob Harvey earned 9th Place (20:54), C.L. Young got 14th (23:23), Nick Curtin got 15th (23:44), and Drew Robarge got 18th (27:43). Coach Turner can see that they are improving their times with every practice and meet. We will have more chances at the next meets...Way To Go!

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New Jr. NAD Officers - The new JR NAD officers for 2000-2001 School Year are: Brooke Aldrete, President; Anthony Mowl, Vice President; Pia Marie Paulone, Treasurer; Ellen O'Hara, Secretary; and Drew Robarge and Thomas Barnett,

Sergeant-at-Arms. The JR NAD Sponsors are Cindy Pickering and Kathy Hill. The next JR NAD meeting will be on September 20th! Please COME and JOIN JR NAD!!!!

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Free Throw Contest: Ricky Oogood

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Halftime shows: Micki Lewis

Photographer: Dave Morphew

Hospitality: Kathleen Walters

Artist: Sharon Baker, Scotty Zwicker

Crowd Control: Curtis Sigafoose

3 pt. Contest: Ricky Oogood

Boosters: Lynn Kelvin

Anyone who is interested in lending a helping hand at the CSSD tournament, please contact one of the chairmen. Thanks!--
Jackie McBroom

CSSD Advertising Contracts - On the last day of the 1999 school year, Dave Catt and Jackie McBroom gave each staff member advertising contracts. As of yet, no contracts have been received. Please support ISD Athletics and return all contracts by November 22, 2000. Thanks a lot! --Dave Catt & Jackie McBroom

School Board Update – Jodee Crace will present jointly to the students and staff of Middle School and High school on Friday, September 15 at 8:00 am in the Auditorium. More information will be coming.

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Opportunities

University of Pittsburgh – U of P is seeking candidates interested in mathematics and problem-solving research with Deaf and hard of hearing children, who are also interested in pursuing a masters or doctorate in deaf education, special education or mathematics education. The University of Pittsburgh is funding 4 research assistants and 1 student worker. It is a great opportunity to be involved in this innovative research. If interested, contact Claudia M. Pagliaro at pagliaro@pitt.edu or Ellen Ansell at ansell@pitt.edu.

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF INDIANAPOLIS' EDUCATOR E-MAIL NETWORK! - This service provides you access to the most up-to-date information about our vast school resources. For a complete listing of school resources, please check out "Just For Teachers" on our web site at <http://www.ChildrensMuseum.org>.

New Museum Hours - Beginning Tuesday, September 12, The Children's Museum of Indianapolis will open at 9:30 a.m. In response to teacher feedback, we have expanded our morning hours to better serve your needs. Keep those ideas coming.

FREE EDUCATOR OPEN HOUSE – On Tuesday, October 10, from 4:00 – 8:00 pm at the Children's Museum of Indianapolis, experience the best of our school resources. Preview CineDome films and theater shows, explore new exhibits, check out the Teacher Resource Link, sample school lunches, win door prizes and much more. R.S.V.P. by Oct. 6 to (317) 334-4139, ext.

1070 with your name, school and number attending. For more information, visit <http://www.childrensmuseum.org/teachers/educatoroh.htm>

FREE LIBERTY BELL 7 EDUCATOR PREVIEW - On Friday, October 6, from 4:00 – 6:00 pm at the Spurlock Gallery in the Children's Museum of Indianapolis, take a sneak peak at our new exhibit in this educator-only preview. See the actual Liberty Bell 7 capsule and try out the exhibit's interactive elements. Exhibit facilitators will demonstrate experiments that are included in a self-guided experience. R.S.V.P. to (317) 334-4000, by October 4, 2000, or send an e-mail message to TCM_EDUCATOR_NETWORK@childrensmuseum.org.

AEROSPACE EXPLORATION EDUCATOR WORKSHOP – On Saturday, October 7, from 8:30 am to noon at the Spurlock Gallery and Room 303 in the Children's Museum of Indianapolis, be part of an in-depth gallery tour with Curt Newport, the underwater explorer who recovered the famous spacecraft Liberty Bell 7. Experience aerospace activities from a NASA educator that can be replicated in your classroom. Cost is \$10.00 per person. To register, please call (317) 334-4000, by October 4, 2000. For more information, visit <http://www.childrensmuseum.org/teachers/schedwkshop.htm#lb7>

MYSTERIES OF EGYPT * NEW IN THE CINEDOME* - On September 11- November 9 at 9:30, 10:30, 11:30 a.m.; 12:30 and 1:30 p.m. in the CineDome Theater, travel over the Nile, across the Valley of the Kings and into the shadowy chambers of the sacred tomb of King Tutankhamun. Experience a thrilling story of tombs, treasures, discoveries and determination on our large surround-sound screen. For more information, visit <http://www.childrensmuseum.org/teachers/schocine.htm>

NEW SELF-GUIDED EXPERIENCE - ANCIENT EGYPT ON YOUR OWN - On October 3 and Nov. 9; 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. on Level 1 at the Children's Museum, complement your CineDome visit with this special self-guided experience. Explore the "What if?" exhibit and discover the mummy, Wenu-hotep. Through artifacts and interactive activities, students can learn about mummification and life in ancient Egypt. For more information, visit <http://www.childrensmuseum.org/teachers/schtourself.htm>

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 Mike McGeath

Middle School Pamela Gatto (Kim Galagan is subbing.)
 Catherine Rahn (Late)
 Cindy Squire

High School
Principal's Office
Outreach Carol Morgan
 Kathleen Robertson
 Pam Burchett (Late)

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ISD Daily Bulletin

Issue 2, Number 19

Friday, September 8, 2000

Love is a parent's most powerful tool – and gift – for raising happy, loving and well-adjusted children. – Dr. Benjamin Spock

Jeff Gordon Supports CSSD

On July 8, 2000, Kathy Hill, David Catt, Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Hossler, and Jackie McBroom went to Hoosier Park in Anderson, Indiana to earn money for the upcoming CSSD tournament to be held at ISD this year.

Jeff Gordon's car was there and inside was a computerized video racecar game. The cost to sit in this famous racecar and play was \$1.00. Many people stood in line for hours waiting patiently to experience the thrill of sitting the Rainbow Special. Pictures were also taken for a charge of \$5.00. All of the proceeds earned from the crowd were donated to the CSSD Fund. Many thanks to Jeff and Tami Hossler for their hard work and dedication. We earned \$402.00!!

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Today's Activities

8:30	E. Rippe	HE
9:30	RJ Crace	HAC
4:30	HS Volleyball at Covenant	
7:30	HS Football at Union Dugger	

Today's Menu

Lunch
Fish Square
Baked Fish
Baked Potato
Peas
Peas
Fruit Juice Bar

Announcements

Sports Update - Both Middle School Volleyball Teams lost their games to a very strong Bethesda Christian squad. Bethesda last night. The 7th/th Grade team won its first match with our wonderful serves. But, the team choked in the 2nd and 3rd matches with several mistakes. The team's record is now 3-1. Coach A. Bippus says that she is very proud of the my players and wants them to keep up their efforts!!!

The ISD Varsity Volleyball Team had a tough lesson last night about starting flat and slow.... allowing Sheridan to build a 12 point lead at 2 - 14. After we took a deep breath, we were unstoppable with kills, blocks, and aces to tie the game at 15 apiece. We finally came our on top and ended the game, 17 - 15. The 2nd game was no funny business for Sheridan as we swept them off, 15 - 0! The Player of Game was Cherish Lewis. Her excellent and inspirational plays pulled us out in the

first game. However, no statistics are available. Our current record is 7 - 1. The next game is today against Covenant Christian at 4:30 (Away). The JV Team played 3 lengthy games and showed great improvement in passing, setting, and hitting consistently. We won one game and lost 2 games. Keep working hard and you'll get better!!!!

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Class Officers for 2000-2001

Class of	2001	2002	2003	2004
President	Daniel Pfaff	Anthony Mowl	Jessica Brimmer	Flave DuPree
Vice President	Willie McWhirter	Candice Lisenby	Drew Robarge	Andy Ruddy
Secretary	Melissa Buterbaugh	Cherish Lewis	Onye Davis	Anastasi Greenberg Asst. Rachel Anderson
Treasurer	Luke Risner	Brooke Aldrete	Andy Choate	Adam Brimmer Asst. Matt Bratton
Sgt-at-Arms	Valerie Sharer	Ellie Salinas	Luke Pardee	Joshua Doudt
	Michael Shugars	Kevin Webster	Pia Marie Paulone	Dorothea Williams
Sponsors	Jamie Carr	Rusty Crace	Aimee Bippus	Suzanne Bono
	Loretta Hammel	Beth Fields	Mary Kovatch	Carol Kunsak

	Bea Pfaff	Gary Mowl	Darin Turner	
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Staff Working Off Campus

Linda Charlesbois will be working at ISB from 11:00 to 12:30 today with a student and his new auditory trainer.
Cindy Lawrence will attend the First Steps meeting today from 8:00 until 11:30 am.

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary Laura Gaalema (Ted Myhre is subbing.)
 Becki Philhower (Jill Lestina is subbing.)
Middle School Pamela Gatto (Kim Galagan is subbing.)
 Cindy Squire
 Carrie Martin (Late)

High School

Principal's Office Sheana Perkins
Outreach Kathleen Robertson
 Terri Motter

ISD Daily Bulletin

Issue 2, Number 20

Monday, September 11, 2000

A baby is God's opinion that the world should go on. – Carl Sandburg

FIREBALLS AT WORK

Today's Activities

4:30 JV Football with Manual at ISD

Today's Menu

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Glazed Ham	Chicken & Noodles	Orange Juice
Corn	Seasoned Peas	Dry Cereal
Seasoned Green Beans	Peaches	Hard Boiled Eggs
Mario Bar		Bacon

Upcoming Activities

- September 12 HS Volleyball at Heritage Christian (4:30)
MS Volleyball at ISD against Heritage Christian (4:30)
MS Football at ISD with Christian Park's Lions (4:45)
- September 13 HS Volleyball at ISD against Park Tudor (4:30)
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Announcements

School Network – Today at 4:00, the server will be down for two hours. You can still use your computers to do various work, but you will not be able to use Groupwise or get on the Internet during this time. We will be copying contents from the old server to the brand new server and start testing our brand new network environment in the Technology Center. Thanks. - Jay

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Staff Working Off Campus

Glenda Zmijewski – IPS Schools this morning then back afterwards

Staff Absences

Preschool	
Elementary	Carmel Flores – sub is Kim Galagan Heidi Morris – sub is Jill Lestina
Middle School	
High School	Darell Pfaff
Principal's Office	Dan Stutler
Outreach	Judy Cass Linda Charlesbois - late

ISD DAILY BULLETIN

Issue 2, Number 21

Tuesday, September 12, 2000

The hardest people to convince they are at retirement age are children at bedtime. – Shannon Fife

NEW STAFF AT ISD

For the next few days the Daily Bulletin will be welcoming our new staff by providing a brief autobiography. Please join in welcoming the following new staff members to the ISD family!

Stephanie Jensen – Stephanie is the new secretary for Yvonne Catt, Dean of Girls. She joins ISD to gain more exposure to ASL while she is in school. Stephanie will graduate from the ASL program at Vincennes University in December and has already enrolled in IUPUI's Interpreter Training Program. She has one daughter, Hope, who is five years old.

Tomie Harris – Tomie is a Clerk V assigned to the school's Storeroom. He enjoys the atmosphere working at ISD. His hobbies include playing guitar, listening to music and reading. He really enjoys working.

Rico Lamont Bacon – Rico works in Maintenance and enjoys football as his hobby.

Anika Hill – Anika is the secretary in the Athletic Department. She applied at ISD to gain full access into the Deaf Community since she is taking ASL classes. She wants to be more involved in the community. Anika grew up in Wisconsin and moved to Indiana after she enrolled at Butler University to study International Business. After she graduated from Butler, she worked for a couple of years and then decided to go back to school. She is enrolled in the ASL program at VU and plans to graduate in May 2001. Anika loves to read, hang out with friends and most outside sports including hiking, swimming and horseback riding.

Brenda L. Tress-Mowl – Brenda works as a Parent Infant Program Coordinator. She joined ISD because she felt welcome into the friendly ISD environment. Brenda says that staff make her feel wanted and part of a wonderful school team who is dedicated and committed to a high standard of excellence for Deaf children. Brenda graduated from the Maryland SD, and then went on to complete a BA in Psychology and Sociology from Gallaudet. She then completed her MS in Rehabilitation Counseling at the University of Tennessee. She is currently working towards a second MS in Deaf Education. Brenda has one hearing sister and both of her parents are Deaf. Her husband, Gary, is the ASLPI "guy" at ISD. She has three children. Amy is at Gallaudet University, and Anthony and Jon are ISD students. Her hobbies include crafts, gardening, woodworking, camping, and sewing. She is also an avid sports fan for her children. Her special interests include public relations which will make ISD highly visible throughout the State of Indiana and advocacy to improve the quality of life for all Deaf and hard of hearing people.

Tomorrow's issue will feature Molly Peters, Lori Quadir, Danielle Griska, and Suzanne Bono.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

9:00	D. Paulone	Assess
10:00	K. Webster	ACR
	S. Morris	ACR2
1:00	E. Salinas	ACR2
	S. Ballard	HE
	J. Ballard	HE
	HS Volleyball at Heritage Christian	
	MS Volleyball at ISD against Heritage Christian	

TODAY'S MENU

Lunch
 Cheeseburger
 Onion Rings
 Cookies & Ice Cream

Dinner
 Tacos
 Mixed Vegetables
 Pears

Breakfast
 Grape Juice
 Dry Cereal
 Scrambled Eggs
 Bacon

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sports Update - Our JV Volleyball Team didn't fare well due to a limited number of players being able to dress. We lost 2 games to Covenant Christian. Our Varsity started off much better compared to Thursday night and handled Covenant Christian easily, 15 - 3. We got out of sync and couldn't find our groove and lost the next game, 17 - 15. The final game was worse at the beginning, but we held their 6-point lead and rallied back to tie at 11. We jumped ahead and captured the victory, 15 - 12. Player of Match was Pia Marie Paulone with 15 assists, 9 serve points and 2 kills. Our record is 8 - 1, and our next game is TODAY at Heritage Christian (Payback Time!!)

ISD played its best game so far last Friday night at Union Dugger. We played hard and competitively. However, we lost a heartbreaker to Union Dugger with the score of 12 to 6. The score was 0 to 0 at halftime, then 6 to 6 in fourth quarter. Then, Union passed for a TD down the middle with 26 seconds left as the game ended. It was a game in which ISD beat ourselves; we made too many mental mistakes that cost us the game. Again, a young, inexperienced team was a big factor in the fourth quarter. Some examples of our costly mistakes included our opportunities to score 3 times when we were in the Red Zone starting at 11 yards, 6 yards, and 5 yards, fumbling the football twice when we were on a roll or having a momentum, and some crucial penalties for holding including a PAT run successfully for 2 points which gave us an 8 to 6 lead, but it was called back and cancelled. Onye Davis ran for a TD, and Mike Corbin made 15 tackles. Both played very well. Robert Haney carried the 22 times for 160 yards. It was a game that we should have won, but, unfortunately, we gave away!

New Appointee - I am pleased to announce that Governor O'Bannon has appointed Mr. Greg Gantt to the Indiana School for the Deaf Board. Greg is a Senior Account Manager at Sprint and oversees relay service contracts and a regional account management team. Greg has extensive board and work experience. He has served on the Governor's Planning Council for People with Disabilities, the Indianapolis Mayor's Council on Disability, the Indiana Association of the Deaf Board, and the Indianapolis Speech & Hearing Association Board. He also previously worked as Program Director of the State's Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Office and Director of Deaf Community Services. Greg is a resident of Fishers, Indiana and a 1978 graduate of ISD. He has two children, one of which attends ISD. Greg will start his term in October. Please join me in welcoming Greg to the ISD Board. - Scott Jensen, Chairman of the ISD School Board

ATTENTION ALL STAFF- Please look at your paycheck stubs. If you used any vacation, sick, personal or cop. time last pay period (8/19/00 to 9/2/00), it did not show as used on the check stubs. There was an error in the Auditors Office and the time did not print out. IT WILL be adjusted on your next paycheck on 9/27/00. Please be aware of what accrued time you actually have and DO NOT try to use something you have already used. If you do try to use time you do not have, you will receive LOST HOURS (Lost Pay) for that time. Accrued time did show on the paycheck stub only used time did not. If you have any questions please call me at ext. 218 or email me at MELINDA BETZOLD (Mbetzold@isfd.state.in.us)

Thank you, Missy Betzold -Payroll ISD

ATTENTION to JR NADERS...There will be a JR NAD meeting on September 13, 2000 from 3:15pm to 3:45pm in the Vocational Building Room #7111. PLEASE ATTEND this MEETING! Please JOIN JR NAD!!! Thanks, Cindy, Kathy and Keith—Jr. NAD Sponsors

Superintendent Search Process – Jodee Crace will meet with the Middle School and High School student on Friday, September 22 from 8:00 to 8:30 a.m. to explain the search process that the School Board is undertaking to find a new superintendent. The meeting will be in the Auditorium.

SRC DUTY

MS – Sondra Gullion
 HS - Jerry Backus Debbie Willman

STAFF ABSENCES

Preschool Connie Jones (Late)
 Elementary Carmel Flores (Kim Galagan is subbing until 11:15.)

ISD Daily Bulletin

Issue 2, Number 22

Wednesday, September 13, 2000

Too often we give children answers to remember rather than problems to solve. – Roger Lewin

New Staff at ISD

*For the next few days the **Daily Bulletin** will be welcoming our new staff by providing a brief autobiography. Please join in welcoming the following new staff members to the ISD family!*

Stephanie Bono – Suzanne is an Applied Curriculum teacher in the High School Department. She sees her teaching at ISD as “a good opportunity for me to develop my personal and professional skills. My desire is to make a significant contribution to the students by showing my knowledge in history, language, culture and Deaf Education. I want to be part of this bilingual-bicultural family!” Suzanne graduated from the Western Pennsylvania School for the Deaf in Pittsburgh. She also graduated from Gallaudet University with a BA in Deaf Students. She has a MS from Western Maryland in Deaf Education. She is single and enjoys the outdoors, downhill skiing, golf and reading. Her special interest is being the Assistant Coach for the Middle School Volleyball Team.

Danielle Griska – Danielle is a 2nd Grade teacher in the Elementary Department. She lived in Ontario, Canada and attended the Sir James Whitney School (SHW) and graduated from the Ontario School for the Deaf in Belleville, Ontario. Danielle earned her BA and MS from Gallaudet University graduating in May 2000. Her hobbies include traveling, camping, reading, looking at pictures, swimming and running. (*Someone needs to introduce her to the Mini in May*).

Molly Peters – Molly is a Parent Infant Program Coordinator for the Outreach Department. She applied at ISD, because she enjoys working with young deaf and hard of hearing children and their families. “PIP is a good opportunity for me to make contacts with families, who have deaf and hard of hearing children. I hope I can make a difference for families so they can understand their deaf children better.” She also views the ISD staff as professional and wants to be part of the ISD team. Molly graduated with a BA in social work from Gallaudet University. She married Bruce Peters, who is currently a counselor at ISD, and moved with him to Melbourne, Australia for a year. When Bruce got a job at ISD, she followed him here to ISD. In 1996, she earned her MA in School Counseling and Guidance.

Molly has deaf parents and is from Minnesota. She also has a deaf sister and hearing brother and an adopted deaf brother and deaf sister from Korea. Her children, Hillary and Kenneth, attend ISD. Molly enjoys reading, cycling and walking. Her special interests are promoting literacy for deaf and hard of hearing children and their families.

Loretta M. Qadie – Lori, which she prefers, is a Home Supervisor in Pod 3 of Koob Hall. She applied at ISD so she can improve her ASL skills, especially expressively. She was born in Indiana; however, she grew up in Kentucky. Lori has a BA in Communications from the University of Louisville and Associates from Vincennes University in ASL. She is married to Kenneth Abdul Qadir. They share their mixed lab named Zcces, which is five years old. Her hobbies include making quilts (a family

tradition), reading especially biographies, autobiographies, politics and history. She has a special interest in local and national organizations within the Deaf Community.

Tomorrow's issue will feature Heidi Marcus, Amy Fenicle, Sheanna Perkins and Carol Kunsak. **New staff, please send your profiles to Dan Stutler.** We'd like to get to know you!

FIREBALLS AT WORK

FIREBALLS go to the following people for assisting Jay Krieger and Bobby Jacobs with the new computer installations in Fair and Koob Halls to allow residential students use for homework and educational enrichment activities: Peter Pickering, Cin Pickering, Scott Smith, Eddie King, Suzi Scaletta, David Monger, Joe Porter, Jean Zook, Angie Burdine, Catherine Hughes and Santana Luttrell. Thanks for making it happen!

Today's Activities

4:30 HS Volleyball at ISD against Park Tudor

Today's Menu

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Breaded Chicken Breast	Roast Beef	Orange Juice
Potato Planks	Parsley Potatoes	Dry Cereal
Slice Tomatoes/Cottage Cheese	Brussel Sprouts	Poached Eggs
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Announcements

Sports Update – The ISD Varsity Volleyball Team had a rematch with Heritage Christian yesterday, and we played one of best volleyball games this season. Their powerful middle hitters gave us a hard time as we lost 1 - 2. We handled them well in the first game, 15 - 9. They turned up their tempo and got ahead quickly and ended the match 6 - 15. The final game was the longest one with many outstanding defensive saves, dives, and blocks. We led by 5 points at one time but couldn't hold it as they rallied to win, 9 - 15. The Player of the Match was Cherish Lewis with 8 serve points, 6 kills, and several outstanding saves while being sick. Our current record is 8 – 2. We play Park Tudor today at ISD (4:30).

Class of 2004 - Class of 2004 will have a meeting during lunch with Carol Kunsak and Suzanne Bono today. The freshman class will go to KRC and bring their food back to Room 7111 in the Vocational Building. Please remind the freshmen to go to Room 7111 from 12:10 to 12:45.

Physical Education News - We would like to recognize a few girls and their accomplishments in gym class during fitness testing.

SIT UP TEST - One Minute
Octavia Bradley 47
Amanda Krieger 47
50 YARD DASH
Brittany Langford 6.9
600 YARD RUN
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Fight the Flu - ISD Health Center will once again host a Flu Vaccine Clinic provided by the Coming of Age organization. Reserve the date of Monday, October 16, 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the Health Center. Cost will be \$10 for the flu shot and \$25.00 for the pneumonia shot. Forms and more specifics will be made available in the next few weeks. Stay healthy in 2000-01! - Deb Robarge, Director of the Health Center

ATTENTION: All Staff Who Had Regular Over-time, Premium Over-time, Intermittent and Part-Time Personnel - A separate check has been cut to pay you. These will NOT be direct deposit. Intermittent, Part time and Premium OT checks should be disbursed with the regular payroll along with MOST Regular OT. The rest of the Regular OT checks will be here by Friday. I apologize for any inconvenience. Thank you. - Missy Betzold, ISD Payroll

ATTENTION ALL STAFF- Please look at your paycheck stubs. If you used any vacation, sick, personal or cop. time last pay period (8/19/00 to 9/2/00), it did not show as used on the check stubs. There was an error in the Auditors Office and the time did not print out. IT WILL be adjusted on your next paycheck on 9/27/00. Please be aware of what accrued time you actually have and DO NOT try to use something you have already used. If you do try to use time you do not have, you will receive LOST HOURS (Lost Pay) for that time. Accrued time did show on the paycheck stub only used time did not. If you have any questions please call me at ext. 218 or email me at MELINDA BETZOLD (Mbetzold@isfd.state.in.us) Thank you, Missy Betzold, ISDPayroll

New Appointee - I am pleased to announce that Governor O'Bannon has appointed Mr. Greg Gant to the Indiana School for the Deaf Board. Greg is a Senior Account Manager at Sprint and oversees relay service contracts and a regional account management team. Greg has extensive board and work experience. He has served on the Governor's Planning Council for People with Disabilities, the Indianapolis Mayor's Council on Disability, the Indiana Association of the Deaf Board, and the Indianapolis Speech & Hearing Association Board. He also previously worked as Program Director of the State's Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services Office and Director of Deaf Community Services. Greg is a resident of Fishers, Indiana and a 1978 graduate of ISD. He has two children, one of which attends ISD. Greg will start his term in October. Please join me in welcoming Greg to the ISD Board.
- Scott Jensen, Chairman of the ISD School Board

Opportunities

October 20, 2000 "Ebonics" - This workshop will examine the stylistic language variation among African-American signers and discuss parallels in the communication styles between hearing and Deaf African-Americans. Participants will be sensitized to the cultural and linguistic differences within the Deaf community and will learn how language variation impacts the interpreting process.

October 21, 2000 "Interpreting in 3-D" - Interpreting in 3-D is a lecture lab-based seminar which provides the participant a clear and concise framework for understanding the use of space in ASL. This workshop explores spatial semantics in ASL. It focuses on the interplay between body shifts (role shift), signing space, agreement verbs, classifiers, and other elements of spatial grammar. Participants learn to manipulate the various aspects of spatial grammar and develop strategies for presenting linear discourse - such as English - on a three-dimensional signing plane.

Both Workshops in October are presented by John Lewis, Certified Staff Interpreter at Gallaudet University. Mr. Lewis has an AA degree in Interpreting from San Diego Community College, a BA in French from San Diego State University and an MA in Linguistics from Gallaudet University. Mr. Lewis holds the CI and CT from the RID. This workshop will appeal to interpreters, students, Deaf community members and those who are interested in ASL and related aspects. Interpreters will be provided. Lunch is also included. For workshop location and costs, please contact Cynthia at Deaf Community Services, in Indianapolis at (317) 637 -3947 or via e mail at cyanmanen1@aol.com.

November 10, 2000 "Team Interpreting" - Why is it that some teams are so effective and others seem to blow up in our faces? What do Deaf consumers feel about teams? How can we make this a successful partnership? Discussion will include what makes an effective team and what doesn't, how Deaf people are involved in the process, and strategies that can be incorporated by teams to create a successful interpretation.

November 11, 2000 "Sign to English" - This session will focus on Sign to English interpretations. Caroline will share tips and strategies and give us an opportunity to try them out in a safe, non-threatening environment.

Both workshops in November are presented by Caroline Preston, who is a certified Interpreter and Coordinator of Interpreting Services at CSUN in Northridge, California. She has a BA in English and an MA in the area of Deafness with an emphasis in Administration and Supervision. She holds the following RID certifications, MCSC, SC;L and the OIC:C. This workshop will appeal to interpreters, students, Deaf community members and those who are interested in ASL and related aspects. Interpreters will be provided. Lunch is also included. For workshop location and costs, please contact Cynthia at Deaf Community Services, in Indianapolis at (317) 637 - 3947 or via e mail at cyanmanen1@aol.com. Thanks to Wabunsee Community College, Marion County Public Library, Lilly, Catherine Huston and Sprint for their kind donations to make these workshops possible.

SRC Duty

MS - Sondra Gullion
HS - Carol Kunsak Loretta Hammel

Staff Working Off Campus

Bob Kovatch will attend the Indiana Principal Leadership Academy today and tomorrow.
Dan Stutler will attend the Distance Learning Coordinators Council at Perry Meridian High School this afternoon.

Staff Absences

Preschool	
Elementary	Carmel Flores (Kim Galagan is subbing.)
Middle School	Ken Anderson
High School	Darin Turner (Will be in at noon)
	Darrell Pfaff
	Linda Lloyd (Late)
Principal's Office	Brian Bippus
Outreach	

ISD DAILY BULLETIN

Issue 2, Number 23

Thursday, September 14, 2000

No one can make you feel inferior without your consent. – Eleanor Roosevelt

NEW STAFF AT ISD

For the next few days the Daily Bulletin will be welcoming our new staff by providing a brief autobiography. Please join in welcoming the following new staff members to the ISD family!

Amy Fenicle – Amy is a Language Arts teacher in Elementary Department working with students in the Third, Fourth and Fifth Grades. She came to ISD “because I like the school philosophy of Bilingual-Bicultural and the people at ISD are friendly. Also I love to work with deaf students and see their personal growth towards education.” Amy graduated from Gallaudet with a major in ASL Studies. She also has MA from Western Maryland in Deaf Education as an ASL Specialist. She has been married to John Fenicle for ten years (August 18th). She loves vacations, bicycling, reading, golf and shopping. Her special interests are meeting new people and attending workshops on education.

Carol Kunsak – Carol is a reading and English teacher in High School. She came to ISD because it has a good reputation in the Deaf Community. The school’s website also caught her attention, and she wanted to work at a Bi-Bi Deaf School. Carol is from Pittsburgh and missed her ten nieces and nephews! She enjoys alpine skiing, rollerblading, reading, traveling and swimming. Her special interest is T’ai Chi. She says, “I’m thrilled to start a new, exciting chapter of my life here at ISD. I’m looking forward to making good friends and exploring Indianapolis!”

Heidi Morris – Heidi teaches mathematics and social studies to Third, Fourth and Fifth graders in the Elementary Department. She applied at ISD so she could teach in a Bi/Bi school. She also says many wonderful people encouraged her to apply! Her background includes working as a residential advisor at St. Rita SD in Cincinnati for eight years and a Second Grade teacher also at St Rita for three years. She lives with her friend, Cami, and a Golden Retriever, Hunny, and a cat, Jas. Her hobbies include rollerblading, biking and reading. Her special interests include social justice issues.

Editor's Note – SORRY! For some reason my brain thought Suzanne and Morris, but my fingers typed Stephanie and Marcus. Age is surely creeping forward! Again, I am sorry to Suzanne Bono and Heidi Morris!

Sheana Perkins – Sheana works as a secretary in the Curriculum Office. She applied at ISD because it is “a great working environment and an opportunity to put my working skills to good use.” She is the mother of with one on the way. The other one is her fiancé. Sheana is the oldest of four children and moved from Tennessee only last year. She loves to travel, shop, listen to music, complete fill-in puzzles and collecting stuffed animals and pillows. Her special interests include sign language, art, her faith, and her children. She really enjoys working for Glenda and Gary.

Tomorrow’s issue will highlight John Fenicle and Keith Westhoelter.

FIREBALLS AT WORK

Kim Van Zuijen will be leaving ISD on Friday, September 15th. She will be staying home with her new baby (which is due Sept. 20th) and daughter. Kim has given five years of service to ISD working in various departments. Prior to working in the

Outreach Department, she worked in the Student Life Department and then transferred to Elementary School as a teacher's aide. Please help us wish FIREBALL Kim farewell by coming to our office on Friday, September 15 between 11:00 - 1:00.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

9:00	Jesus Bueno, age 14, and his father will tour Middle School and High School. Jesus is from West Central Joint Services Cooperative
	A. Bovis HE
10:00	H. Sharer ACR
1:00	V. Sharer ACR2
2:00	T. Spears CC
4:00	HS Cross Country at Scecina/Covenant
4:30	MS Volleyball at ISD against Sycamore

TODAY'S MENU

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Fish Sticks	Salisbury Steak	Pineapple Juice
Baked Fish	Mashed Potatoes	Dry Cereal
Baked Potatoes	Honey Glazed Carrots	Pancakes
Seasoned Spinach	Fruit Cocktail	Sausage
Chocolate Pudding		

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

September 15	HS Volleyball and Football Teams will leave for Maryland SD and MSSD (8:00 am).
September 16	HS Volleyball at Maryland (9:00)
	HS Football at Maryland SD (1:00)
	HS Volleyball at MSSD (5:00)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sports Update – On Tuesday, The Middle School Volleyball Team played Heritage Christian at ISD. The 5th/6th Grade team played 3 sets but lost 16-14, 11-15, 4-15. The 7th/8th played very well in 3 sets and Coach Bippus was very impressed with their play through all three sets. It was very hot, hot game for us! The girls won the first game 15-13 and lost the next 2 games with the same score of 12-15. The Player of the Game was Micaela Paulone. She saved a lot of balls and served well.

Also on Tuesday, the Middle School Football "B" Team played the Christian Park Lions. Finally, we were equally matched up with size and skill level. On the first 2 possessions, Gabriel Paulone scored the longest run 55 yards TD, but it was called back. Then, with the next 2 possessions, Hipplito DeLucca scored his first official TD on 12 yards. Gabriel scored a 2-point conversion with the game at 8-0. In the next two quarters, the team battled well but no points were scored until the 4th Quarter. The Lions scored their first TD, but ISD stopped their chance for extra pts. The game was 8-6. On our last drive, we kept our offense active and utilized the 15 seconds. Hipilito scored his second TD on a 26 yard run. The final score was 14-6. It was the first victory of the season. A job well done!!!

The ISD Varsity Volleyball team matched up with Park Tudor Panthers yesterday and chased them out of our gym to stay undefeated at home. The scores were 15 - 6 and 15 - 5. The team definitely carried spirit from the heart-wrenching loss from Tuesday to Heritage Christian and performed excellently in every area. Everyone contributed to this key win. The girls beat our biggest rival 2 years in row! Dinner was on Coach Bippus!! The highlight of the match was Melissa's spike that was blocked at the middle and out of nowhere Cherish dove and made pancake save and then Valerie bumped it high enough for Pia to return the ball over the net. We got the ball back and Pia set it high for Valerie to overpower the ball into Panther's territory. Outstanding Effort, Girls!!!!The Player of the Match was Erica Hossler with 13 of 13, 100% serve efficiency, and 11 served points. Our record is 9 - 2. The next matches are at Maryland and MSSD this Saturday, September 16.

ISD JV Volleyball Team tried their best last night and battled against their opponents' strong serves. However, the team lost both games; the young ladies will continue to get better as they have full team now.

TODAY, Class of 2004 - Class of 2004 will have a meeting during lunch with Carol Kunsak and Suzanne Bono **today**. The freshman class will go to KRC and bring their food back to Room 7111 in the Vocational Building. Please remind the freshmen to go to Room 7111 from 12:10 to 12:45 **today**.

Waiver Day Schedule/Agenda for Friday, September 15, 2000

Accreditation Committee Meetings

- 1:00 School Profile - Gary Mowl
Desired Learner Outcome - George Houk (Room 115 of Preschool)
Mission Statement committee will not meet.

Curriculum Committee Meetings

- 1:00 Buddy System - Mike Jackson
Early Childhood Workshop by Gaye Grounland – Preschool
Driver's Education - Curriculum Revision by Gary Nash & Jess Blackwell
Math Committee – August 2000 Standards
Language Arts - August 2000 Standards & Indiana Reading List
Social Studies - Instructional Resources List
Science - Instructional Resources List
PE/Health - CSSD Plans
Art/Drama - S. Zwicker & J. Fenicle in Zwicker's classroom
FACS, Technology & Business - Instructional Resources List in Kay Seller's room

Elementary News – The Second Grade Class will have a Torch Run in celebration of the Olympics 2000 right here on campus, Friday, September 15, 2000 at 9:15 am. The students will start at the Alumni Hall and go to different places around on the campus. The last place the students will arrive will be at the Elementary Building. If you are interested in watching our students running around on the campus with a torch, you're more than welcome to participate with us! - Danielle Griska, 2nd Grade Teacher and Kara Knebel, Resource Teacher

School Board Update – Jodee Crace will present jointly to the students and staff of Middle School and High school on Friday, September 22 at 8:00 am in the Auditorium. She will be updating the students on the School Board's search for a new superintendent.

Need Extra Cash \$\$\$ - ISD Athletics has made agreement with Indy Youth Power to use our game field and practice field for their youth football league competition on Saturdays. The hours are usually from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm, and the dates are September 9, 16, and 23; October 21 and 28; and Nov. 7. ISD Athletics requires field supervision to monitor the activities and provide assistance when needed. ISD Athletics is seeking anybody who is interested in earning additional money by working as a field supervisor. You will be \$10.00 per hour. Please contact Brian Bippus if you are interested and need more information.

Library News - New furniture to replace the old counter desks, magazine rack and paneling will be arriving in the Main Library next week. The men from the factory will remove the old paneling from the large bookcases, install three-feet wide shelving to each row and add new paneling to the front and back of each bookcase. All shelves will be tightened and the brackets will be added on from bookcase to bookcase to hold them in place. This work will take approximately four days. I regret for any inconvenience this may cause you, but your cooperation in not going in the library during the work would be very much appreciated. However, please see the library staff if you need assistance or to use the computers. Thank you. - Linda Carty

News from Interpreting Services – We are pleased to announce that Brian "BJ" Collins has accepted the position of Team Leader for ISD Interpreting Services. Brian holds both the Certificate of Interpretation (CI) and the Certificate of Transliteration (CT) from the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf. Brian has been a staff interpreter at ISD for the past six years. In addition to his full-time responsibilities at ISD, he is also a part-time student at IUPUI. Congratulations BJ!! We wish you well!

DON TINSLEY APPOINTED AS ACTING DEPUTY DIRECTOR - Dan Mohnke, acting Director of the Division of Disability, Aging and Rehabilitative Services (DDARS), announced that Donald Tinsley has been appointed as acting Deputy Director of DHHS replacing Dr. Freeman who retired September 1. Don has been with DHHS for five year as Program Director under Dr. Freeman. He will maintain daily operations with assistance from his staff. He can be reached at (317) 232-1143 (V/TTY) or e-mail: DMTinsley@fssa.state.in.us.

DEAF HERITAGE WEEK HELD AT STATE CAPITOL ON OCTOBER 2 - Sponsored by the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services, Deaf Heritage Week will have its annual event at the State Capitol North Rotunda on Monday, October 2, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Over 25 booths from vendors, agencies and organizations will be on display. The Proclamation of Deaf Heritage

Week by Gov. O'Bannon will be read by Bob Downing, President of the Archibald Memorial Home, Inc. The IAD Recognition Presentation will be given by Jerry Thixton, President of the Indiana Association of the Deaf. Greg Gantt, Relay Indiana Account Manager, will talk about Sprint. Miss Amber Kay, Miss Deaf Indiana, will present her talent show in the morning. High School students from Indiana Deaf School will present skits in ASL. Jim Van Manen will give a brief talk about a new Indiana Interpreting Certificate Program in the afternoon. He is a coordinator of the program under DHHS. Another special feature will be recognizing the 10th anniversary of DHHS. Refreshments will be served. A special treat will be given by the Deaf Community Services after the Closing Celebration. Free ice cream will be served on the South Lawn of the Statehouse.

DR. FREEMAN RECEIVES SAGAMORE OF THE WABASH AT RETIREMENT RECEPTION - Dr. Jerome Freeman was honored at two retirement receptions on September 1, 2000. Dr. Freeman was Deputy Director of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services (DHHS) with the State of Indiana for 10 years since its establishment. His outstanding accomplishments were his involvement in the implementing Indiana's Telecommunication Relay Service, the Interpreter Service Program and the Board of Interpreter Standards. All have further enhanced the quality of life for Deaf Hoosiers. He was presented the Sagamore of the Wabash by Larry Grau, Executive Assistant of Education, on behalf of Gov. O'Bannon. This is the highest honor for Hoosiers who rendered distinguished service to the State or to the Governor. Dr. Freeman also received a special award from the Indiana Telephone Relay Access Corporation (InTRAC) presented by Ginny Barr:

DHHS SELECTED JIM VAN MANEN TO IMPLEMENT PROGRAM FOR INTERPRETING CERTIFICATE - The Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services has contracted Jim Van Manen to help coordinate and implement the Indiana Interpreting Certificate Program (IICP). The Board of Interpreter Standards developed rules, which were approved by the State of Indiana in July. Standards, as specified in LSA Document #99-147 (460 IAC 2-3), will enable interpreters in Indiana to obtain a state interpreter certificate. Jim Van Manen will administer an orientation and training program. His duties include visiting sites across Indiana to provide opportunities for constituents to become educated and acquainted with the IIC Program. He is also to maintain a registry and credential file of all Indiana Interpreting Certificate holders. Jim comes to this position with 16 years of interpreting experience. He is a CODA who was raised in Iowa. He is a certified interpreter through RID holding both the CI and CT. He has a Master's Degree in linguistics from Gallaudet University and is a Ph.D. candidate in administration also at Gallaudet. He taught at MSSD in Washington D.C., has been an education interpreter for five years and established the American Sign Language/English Interpreting Program in Indianapolis at IUPUI in 1998. Jim's company, Van Manen and Associates, Inc. can be reached on line at jimvanmanen@yahoo.com or TTY at 317-770-7543.

SRC DUTY

MS - Pat Pullum
HS - Carol Kunsak Debbie Willman

STAFF WORKING OFF CAMPUS

Bob Kovatch will be attending the Indiana Principal Leadership Academy today.
Kathleen Robertson is attending a meeting in Terre Haute all day.

STAFF ABSENCES

Preschool	Cami Cass (Brandi Sprunger is subbing.)
Elementary	Carmel Flores (Kim Galagan is subbing.) Marie Kellam-Cook (John Lestina is subbing.)
Middle School	
High School	Linda Lloyd (Absent a half day) Mary Kovatch (Late) Dave Morphew
Principal's Office	
Outreach	

ISD Daily Bulletin

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Friday, September 15, 2000

They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety. — Benjamin Franklin

New Staff at ISD

Please join in welcoming the following new staff members to the ISD family!

John Fenicle – John is an ASL and mathematics teacher in Middle School. He came to ISD, because “ISD has many students and a huge campus where I can learn and enjoy. ISD provides a Bilingual and Bicultural environment.” He grew up with two brothers, a sister and parents in Pennsylvania, who were all Deaf. All of his family went to the Pennsylvania School for the Deaf in Philadelphia. He earned his BS and MS in Deaf Studies, Education and ASL from Gallaudet University and Western Maryland University. His wife, Amy, also teaches at ISD in the Elementary Department. They’ve had a bichon frise dog for the past eight-and-a-half years. His hobbies include reading about minority people, riding his mountain bicycle, repairing cars, remodeling old things, and collecting books and art about the Deaf. John’s younger brother, Jonas, is the art teacher in Elementary. You’re invited to visit his classroom in Room 145 of Alumni Hall.

Keith Westhoelter – Keith is a mathematics teacher in the High School Department. He came to ISD “because ISD presents a great opportunity for me as it will provide new experiences and professional growth.” Keith was raised, educated and worked in Missouri all of his life. He graduated from Washington High School in Washington, Missouri and then earned his BA in Mathematics, Physics and Engineering at Gallaudet University. His MS is in Deaf Education from the Western Maryland University. He is a newly wed. He and his wife, Carrie, were married in Las Vegas on July 4. John enjoys participating in all sports, reading, traveling, farming, gardening, renovating houses, fishing, collecting antiques and computers. He especially loves to have time for thinking.

Renee Goodwin - Renee Goodwin works in Payroll at ISD. She is from Martinsville, Indiana. Renee is taking classes at Vincennes University now, because her interests are in interpreting and teaching. She lives right on campus in Willard Hall. Renee enjoys reading, listening to music, exercising, cooking, and spending time with her friends and family. She loves being part of ISD, because the staff is so friendly! She wants to thank all of you who have made her feel so welcome. You have made her first 3 weeks at ISD AWESOME!!

*New Staff – Please send your autobiographies to Dan Stutler for publishing in the DB.
ISD wants to get to know you well!*

Today's Activities

8:00	HS Football & Volleyball Teams leave for Maryland SD	
8:30	RJ Crace	HE
9:00	N. Mike	CC
9:30	B. Brown	
	D. Carter	HE
10:00	J. Abney	
10:30	S. Miller	ACR3

Today's Menu

Pork Chow Mein
Rice
Pork Tips & Gravy (Willard)
Broccoli
Pineapple

12:30 J. Venneman HE
1:00 Classes are dismissed.
School Profile - Gary Mowl
Desired Learner Outcome - George Houk (Room 115 of Preschool)
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Driver's Education - Curriculum Revision by Gary Nash & Jess Blackwell
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FACS, Technology & Business - Instructional Resources List in Kay Seller's room

Announcements

Sports Update – The 7th/8th Grade Football team won last in their game against Craig Middle School. The score was 46 –0!
Wow!!! Keep it up!!!!

There was a light rain for yesterday's HS Cross Country meet against Convent Christian and Ritter. Ritter got first place, Convent Christian got second place and our team placed third. Our team's times were Tim Marshall (22:25), CL Young (24:14), Nick Curtin (24:18.90) and Drew Robarge (24:21). They are looking forward to next week's meet at Lawrence Central.

Middle School Schedule Change for Today – Today's MS schedule is:

8:00	Class
8:50	Class
9:40	Mock Election in the Coed Lounge
10:30	Mock Election in the Coed Lounge
11:20	Lunch
11:55	Class
12:30	Classes dismiss

Spanish Speaker & Writer – Danielle Griska, 2nd Grade teacher, is searching for someone who can write and speak Spanish. Please contact her at 920-6369.

Physical Education News - We would like to recognize a few boys and their accomplishments in gym class during fitness testing.

Sit-ups in One Minute
Sam Davis--55
Chris Woodward- 54

600-Yard Run
Zachary McIntosh- 1:49
Ryan Bailey- 1:54

FYI – This is a reminder that next Monday, September 18th starting at 4:00 pm, our server in the basement will be down for at least two hours. We will be copying everything from that server over to the new server in the Technology Center so we can perform closed-environment testing using a brand new network environment. You can use your computers during this time, but will not have access to the Internet or email.

Opportunities through Distance Learning

TEACHERS –
Watch for some
exciting new
opportunities to
earn credit from IU
through Distance
Learning classes
after school at ISD.
More information
here on Monday,
September 18.

Indiana Department of Natural Resources & Eli Lilly and Company - Description: This special program for second-fourth graders will give children fascinating opportunities to learn about Indiana's natural resources. For additional information on this event, please contact Christy Krumrich, Eli Lilly & Company, 317-277-8721 (cckrumrich@lilly.com). Event Date: 11/3/00 Registration Deadline: 10/13/00 Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST) Scheduled Network Time: 9:00 - 10:00 am (EST) Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges) Videotaping: Yes Target Audience: Elementary Audience Notes: Students in grades 2 through 4 Standards: Science Standards: The Nature of Science and Technology – The Scientific View of the World; The Physical Setting - The Earth and the Processes that Shape It; The Living Environment - Diversity of Life, Interdependence of Life, Human Identity; Common Themes - Systems, Constancy and Change Disciplines: Community Interests, Economics/Social Studies, Geography, Health/Safety, History, Language Arts/Literature, Sciences/Social Sciences

United State Astronauts by Eli Lilly & Company - Description: Join us for this special presentation by U.S. astronauts that will include the recent historic recovery of the Liberty Bell Capsule. For additional information on this event, please contact Christy Krumrich, Eli Lilly & Company, 317-277-8721 (cckrumrich@lilly.com). Don't forget to check out the special events surrounding the Liberty Bell Capsule at the Children's Museum of Indianapolis! Event Date: 10/6/00 Registration Deadline: 9/22/00 Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST) Scheduled Network Time: 9:00 am - 10:00 am (EST) Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges) Videotaping: Yes Target Audience: Elementary, Middle School, High School Audience Notes: Standards: Science Standards: The Nature of Science and Technology - Technology and Science; The Physical Setting - The Universe; Historical Perspectives Disciplines: Community Interests, Economics/Social Studies, Geography, History, Sciences/Social Sciences, Technology/Internet

The Science of the Arctic by Eli Lilly & Company - Description: Lilly scientist Jeff Ward served as the navigator for an international team of men and women who recently completed an expedition to the magnetic North Pole. Learn all about the math and science involved as he shares his "extreme" adventure! For additional information on this event, please contact Christy Krumrich, Eli Lilly & Company, 317-277-8721 (cckrumrich@lilly.com). Event Date: 1/26/01 Registration Deadline: 1/5/01 Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST) Scheduled Network Time: 9:00 am - 10:00 am (EST) Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges) Videotaping: Yes Target Audience: Middle School, High School Audience Notes - Standards: Science Standards: The Nature of Science and Technology – The Scientific View of the World, Scientific Inquiry, The Scientific Enterprise, Technology and Science; Scientific Thinking - Computation and Estimation, Manipulation and Observation, Communication; The Physical Setting - The Earth and the Processes that Shape It, Forces of Nature; The Mathematical World; Historical Perspectives Disciplines: Economics/Social Studies, Geography, History, Mathematics, Sciences/Social Sciences

Enter the Guardsman by Indiana Repertory Theatre -Description: Thoroughly enjoyable, this sparkling new musical comedy is a delectable farce in every way. A famous actor, newly married to his leading lady, tests his wife's fidelity by sending her an anonymous deluge of red roses and pretends to be the admirer, a gallant soldier, a Count. Backstage intrigue hatched their long-time friend, famed playwright, and chorus of charming off-stage accomplices encourages him to woo and win the actress and her to fall for the imposter. But will she? Join the director and host of collaborators on this new and exciting musical, as they discuss the production process. For additional information on this event, please contact Annelisa Blake-Wasden, Indiana Repertory Theatre, 317-635-5277, x 311 (awasden@indianarep.com). Event Notes: This session is for those students who are planning to attend the IRT's production of Enter the Guardsman. This is not a broadcast of the performance! Event Date: 4/19/01 Registration Deadline: 4/12/01 Scheduled Event Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am (EST) Scheduled Network Time: 9:45 am - 11:15 am (EST) Cost: Interactive - \$75 (schools pay their own line charges); View Only - \$45 (schools pay their own line charges) Videotaping: No Target Audience: Middle School, High School Audience Notes: Standards: Analyzing & critically examine the arts - perceive, identify, describe and analyze the distinguishing characteristics of form, structure, and style within the theatre arts. Disciplines: Performing Arts

To schedule these distance learning opportunities, contact Dan Stutler at 924-8414. More opportunities are printed in the Fall Vision Athena Catalogue available from your Supervising Teacher, Dean or on-line at <http://www.visionathena.k12.in.us>.

Staff Working Off Campus

Brian Bippus, David Reynolds Lori Kiel, Connie Brake, Ken Anderson, Shaun Ray and Christine Carr are traveling to the Maryland School for the Deaf and MSSD with the HS Volleyball and Football teams.

Cindy Lawrence and Deb Liebrich will at a meeting on Universal Newborn Hearing Screening from 7:30 - 9:00 am. Linda Charlebois and the PU intern, Jason Galster, will be working at the Indiana School for the Blind from 11:00 - 1:00 today.

Kathleen Robertson is attending a meeting in Terre Haute today.

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary Carmel Flores (Kim Galagan is subbing.)
 Linda Groogan (Linda Krieger is subbing.)
 Janet Walter

Middle School Ken Anderson (John Lestina is subbing.)

High School Darrell Pfaff

 Leithia Whited
 Beth Fields (Lane Grover is subbing.)
 Scotty Zwicker (Late)

Principal's Office

Outreach

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Monday, September 18, 2000

The price of greatness is responsibility. — Winston Churchill

Today's Activities

8:30	M. Olson	HE
	R. Lewis	CC
9:00	B. Berry	Assess 3
11:00	M. Martinez	CC
1:00	M. Terry	ACR
	M. Flynn	ACR 2
2:00	C. Robling	CC
2:30	S. Davis	ACR

Teachers

Take up to 21 credit hours from IU through Distance Learning. More information under Opportunities.

Today's Menu

Lunch
Pizza
Mixed Vegetables
Salad
Pudding Tart

Dinner
Patty Manhattan
Mashes Potatoes/Gravy
Brussel Sprouts
Peaches

Breakfast
Orange Juice
Dry Cereal
Poached Eggs
Sausage

Upcoming Activities

- September 19 MS Football at ISD against St. Luke (4:45)
MS Volleyball at St. John's Lutheran (6:00)
- September 20 HS Cross Country at the Lawrence Central Invitational (4:45)
HS Volleyball at ISD against Edinburgh (6:00)
- September 21 HS Volleyball at Morton Memorial – Varsity Only (6:00)
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ISD Daily Bulletin

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Tuesday, September 19, 2000

The secret of life is that there is no secret.

Today's Activities

- 8:15 N. Carney Assess
9:00 Nathaniel Carney, age 8 will be at ISD for an assessment and a tour with his family. They will eat lunch in Willard.
T. Baldwin CC

1:00 R. Reach ACR 2
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2:30 C. Hughes ACR 2
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Other Distance Learning Opportunities

Career Panel - Sales/Marketing/Financial by Eli Lilly and Company

Description: Meet core business professionals and learn about the variety of educational pathways and skills that are involved in business careers. All three concentrations will be represented.

Event Date: 4/27/01 Registration Deadline: 4/6/01

Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST)

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Videotaping: Yes

Target Audience: Middle School, High School

Science Standards: The Nature of Science and Technology

Disciplines: Economics/Social Studies, Mathematics, Sciences/Social Sciences, Technology/Internet

Celebrating Black History Month by Eli Lilly & Company

Description: Join us to meet leading African-American professionals at Lilly. This will be an inspirational opportunity for students to hear from great role models in science and business careers.

Event Date: 2/9/01 Registration Deadline: 1/19/01

Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST)

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Videotaping: Yes

Target Audience: Elementary, Middle School, High School

Standards: Historical Perspectives

Disciplines: Economics/Social Studies, Geography, History, Language Arts/Literature, Sciences/Social Sciences,

Technology/Internet

Chemistry is a Blast! by Eli Lilly & Company

Description: This exciting and dramatic chemical demonstration program has amazed and inspired more than 70,000 students in the past six years! Students will learn the skills of inquiry as they enjoy spectacular chemical experiments

Event Date: 1/12/01 Registration Deadline: 12/22/00

Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST)

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Videotaping: Yes

Target Audience: Elementary, Middle School

Standards: Science Standards: The Nature of

Science and Technology - Scientific Inquiry, The Scientific Enterprise, Technology and Science; Scientific Thinking - Manipulation and Observation, Communication; The Physical Setting - Matter and Energy, Forces of Nature

Disciplines: Sciences/Social Sciences

Speechwriting by Eli Lilly & Company

Description: This is an exciting opportunity to meet the writers behind the speeches and communications of company executives. Students will learn the importance of good writing skills in any career.

Event Date: 2/23/01 Registration Deadline: 2/2/01

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Target Audience: Middle School, High School

Writing - Writing Process; Writing Applications (Different Types of Writings and Their Characteristics)

Disciplines: Language Arts/Literature

Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST)

Videotaping: Yes

Standards: English/Language Arts Standards:

Virtual Dr. Bones by Eli Lilly & Company

Description: Dr. Bones is a special program about bones that centers around an archeological dig to uncover a full horse skeleton. Your students will explore archeology, paleontology, anatomy, and bone health!

Event Date: 3/9/01 Registration Deadline: 2/16/01

Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST)

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Videotaping: Yes

Target Audience: Elementary

Standards: Science Standards: The Nature of

Science and Technology – The Scientific View of the World, Scientific Inquiry, The Scientific Enterprise; Scientific Thinking - Manipulation and Observation, Communication Skills; The Physical Setting - The Earth and the Processes that Shape It; The Living Environment - Interdependence of Life; Common Themes - Constancy and Change

Disciplines: Sciences/Social Sciences

Women's History Month - Women in the Sciences by Eli Lilly & Company

Description: Meet a diverse group of women scientists in biology, chemistry, and medicine. Find out what they do and how they got there!

Event Date: 3/23/01 Registration Deadline: 3/2/01

Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST)

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Videotaping: Yes

Target Audience: Elementary, Middle School

Standards: Science Standards: The Nature of

Science and Technology – The Scientific Enterprise

Disciplines: Economics/Social Studies, History, Sciences/Social Sciences, Technology/Internet

Career Panel - Engineering/Manufacturing by Eli Lilly & Company

Description: Meet a diverse group of employees representing careers in the technical areas of designing, building, and running a manufacturing site, with a focus on chemical manufacturing.

Event Date: 5/25/01 Registration Deadline: 5/4/01

Scheduled Event Time: 9:15 am - 10:00 am (EST)

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Videotaping: Yes

Target Audience: Middle School, High School

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World

Disciplines: Health/Safety, Mathematics, Sciences/Social Sciences, Technology/Internet

For additional information on any of the above events sponsored by Eli Lilly Company, please contact Christy Krumrich, Eli Lilly & Company, 317-277-8721 (crukumrich@lilly.com).

Talkin' Trash by the Lake County Solid Waste Management District

Description: Active participation is required as we dive into the trash problem. Students will learn "trashmatics" as they solve trash math and then will open a garbage can and "dissect" trash. There will be a waste workout, and a chance to go through a lunch bag to examine responsibility when it comes to garbage. Worms get into the act when we meet the Compost Queen. Through stories, math, and science, students will take an educational romp through environmental science. For additional information on this event, please contact Rita Mazza, Lake County Solid Waste Management, 219-679-3820.

[Event Notes: View only is only available for educators that would like to preview the program for future participation. Please call to arrange view-only status. Patty Havran, 219/922-7877]

Event Date: 10/17/00 Registration Deadline: 10/6/00

Scheduled Event Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am (EST)

Cost: Free (schools pay their own line charges)

Videotaping: Yes

Target Audience: Elementary

Students in Grades 4 and 5

Standards: Environmental science: community responsibility, interdependence of living things; Life skills: self-responsibility, choices, making judgments; Math: estimating, addition, multiplication, problem solving, statistics; Science: predicting, classifying, differentiation; Literature drawing conclusions, comparing issues

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Do what you can with what you have where you are. – Theodore Roosevelt

Riley calls for more research, funding to prepare teachers

By Cara Branigan, Assistant Editor, eSchool News

As Congress continues to deliberate next year's spending, Education Secretary Richard Riley repeated the Clinton administration's call for an increase in federal funding to prepare teachers to use technology. Although most teachers and students now have access to computers, Riley said, teachers still are not fully prepared to use them. "We are asking Congress to double the funding—to \$150 million—to help prepare [tomorrow's] teachers to use technology," he said. "Unfortunately, Congress hasn't fully agreed to this increase. But it isn't too late. In the next few weeks, they have another opportunity to fully fund this initiative."

Riley's comments came at the U.S. Department of Education's annual Conference on Educational Technology, held Sept. 11-12 in Arlington, Va. During the conference, officials showcased promising school technology initiatives and called for more research into what works and what doesn't. Riley, Federal Communications Commission Chairman William Kennard, and keynote speaker Eric Benhamou, president and chief executive of 3Com Corp., released a study that shows how instrumental the eRate has been in helping connect most public schools—especially those in high-poverty areas—to the internet. "eRate and the Digital Divide," written by the Urban Institute, shows that the eRate has provided more than \$3 billion for America's public schools, three out of four public schools and districts applied for the program in its first two years, and per-pupil eRate funding for high-poverty schools was more than twice the national average and nearly 10 times that of the wealthiest schools. But despite the fact that the program targets the poorest schools, the most impoverished schools submitted the fewest applications. Also, larger districts and schools were more likely to apply than smaller ones, the study found.

Although this was only a preliminary study, the writers pointed out that future reports could be obtained easily and quickly because of the detailed information submitted by each school or district on its eRate application forms. Riley also announced the results of a second study, called "Teachers' Tools for the 21st Century: A Report on Teachers' Use of Technology," which found that although most teachers have access to computers, only half use them for classroom instruction. Based on information gathered from surveys conducted in 1999, this National Center for Education Statistics report found that teachers use computers mostly for word processing or creating spreadsheets, followed by internet research and practice drills. Teachers were more likely to use a computer if it was located in their classroom, while students were most likely to use computers outside of the classroom. Although 84 percent of teachers said they had at least one computer in their classroom, only 10 percent reported having more than five computers in their room. According to the report, the two biggest barriers to using computers and the internet for instruction are lack of release time for teachers to learn how to integrate computers into the curriculum (82 percent) and lack of time in the schedule for students to use computers in class (80 percent).

Promising practices Despite these challenges, pockets of innovation do exist in schools around the country, Riley said. At the conference, students and educators from select schools demonstrated how they have learned to use technology to enhance classroom instruction. Students from a Virginia-based organization called Kidz Online broadcast the entire two-day conference over the internet while nearly 600 participants listened and dined. High school students from South Burlington, Vermont, showed off digital graphics and animation they created in a course designed by English teacher Tim Comolli. In the course, students learn to use industry-standard graphic software such as Adobe Photoshop. Conference attendees gave two students from Mott Hall School in New York City a standing ovation after their speech about how technology has transformed the learning experience since every student and teacher at the school received a laptop computer. "I became the [technology] expert in the family," said thirteen-year-old Anthony Reyes in an interview. "My mom uses it. My whole family uses it. It's cool." Besides helping him to be more organized and creative, Reyes said his laptop brings information and resources right to him, which makes the trip to the library almost unnecessary. Mott Hall School commissioned a study of its laptop program by Metis Associates Inc.

to see how it affects student achievement. "Our research has proven significant improvement in writing, critical thinking, and research skills," said Principal Mirian Acost-Sing.

At the conference, Microsoft Corp. also released a study of its Anytime Anywhere Learning program, in which all students in a school own laptops that use Microsoft software. After three years of the program, research done by Rockman et al suggests that students become better writers, collaborate more in group projects, and are more involved in their schoolwork. The study also suggests that teachers who use laptops also show greater confidence in using technology tools.

A need for more evaluation Though conference speakers and attendees shared anecdotal evidence of technology's impact on learning, officials also called for more extensive research on the topic. The need for more studies was underscored by a Sept. 12 press conference in nearby Washington, D.C., in which participants called for a moratorium on technology spending until there is further proof of technology's impact. (See "Group says computers offer much glitz, little substance for schools.") Several speakers discussed tools and strategies they are developing to help them measure and evaluate the success of their educational technology programs. "The challenge we've had as a school district is, what impact is [educational technology] having on student behavior, achievement, and learning," said Liz Glowa, director of technology at Montgomery County (Md.) Public Schools. Glowa is working with Hofstra University Professor Charol Shakeshaft to determine how student achievement is affected by educational technology. Elliot Soloway, a professor at the University of Michigan, described a tool he and some colleagues are developing, called the Online Snapshot Survey, that allows schools and districts to gather input from teachers and administrators by conducting an online survey so officials can make more informed decisions about technology. "If you do a survey, you can get a sense of distribution in your district and where you should buy," Soloway said. He said once the web site is running, educators could choose from approximately 80 existing surveys or they could make their own.

Sarah Skerker, a technology specialist at Mantua Elementary School in Fairfax, Va., discussed a program developed by her school, called Comprehensive Interdisciplinary Performance Assessment (CIPA), that measures a culmination of students' skills—including the ability to use technology as a research, analysis, and communication tool. Groups of sixth-grade students are given a real-world problem they have two weeks to solve. Skerker said this test encourages them to use whatever skills they have acquired during their time at Mantua Elementary, which is a technology-rich school. All students at the school are assigned their own Alphasmart computer in the primary grades and eMate in the higher grades. Teachers record the students' decision-making and progress with a digital camera along the way. Because the results from these projects are so complicated, researchers from the University of Virginia are analyzing the data and helping to improve CIPA so officials can determine scientifically what impact the technology-rich education has on students' progress. Jim Nazworsky of the High Plains Regional Technology in Education Consortium (R*TEC) discussed Profiler, a tool that surveys teachers to assess their professional development needs. It's essentially a knowledge audit, he said. By taking the survey, teachers can assess their technology abilities, and Profiler helps them find someone at their school or district who can help them learn the skills they don't know.

Links: The Secretary's Conference on Education Technology <http://ed.gov/Technology/techconf/2000>

The eRate and the Digital Divide http://www.ed.gov/offices/OUS/eval/erate_fr.pdf

Kidz Online <http://www.kidzonline.org>

South Burlington High School Imaging Lab <http://imagelab.sburn.k12.vt.us>

Mott Hall Elementary School <http://mhs.csd6.k12.ny.us>

Montgomery County Public Schools <http://www.mcps.k12.md.us>

The Online Snapshot Survey <http://snapshotssurvey.org>

Mantua Elementary School <http://www.mantua-school.com>

Profiler <http://profiler.scrtec.org>

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9:00 N. Sliger CC

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Thursday, September 21, 2000

I wish they would only take me as I am. – Vincent Van Gogh

FIREBALLS AT WORK

Thanks to Daniel Pfaff for being a FIREBALL yesterday and creating High School's Election 2000 Bulletin Board.

Today's Activities

- 1:30 SLED Meeting in the Coed Lounge
6:00 HS Volleyball at Morton Memorial – Varsity Only

Today's Menu

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Chicken Fajita	Fish Sticks	Blended Juice
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Sports Update – ISD Varsity Volleyball Team played Edinburgh last night and paid them back with a victory, 2 - 1. Due to a disciplinary action, we started with different line-up and gave good battle in first game but lost, 7 - 15. The regular starters quickly controlled the 2nd game with smooth passing, delicate setting, and determined spikes and led by 10 points quickly. We finished them off at 15 - 4. The final game was a struggle as we couldn't finish them off, and we were down 10 - 12. We hung together and got 5 straight points. The Player of the Match was Valerie Sharer with 11 kills and 11/12 serving (92%) Our record is 11 - 3 with a home record of 5 - 0. Our next match is at Morton Memorial.

Preschool Open House – The Open House in Preschool, scheduled for September 28, has been changed to October 26. In conjunction with the Open House will be a Literacy Workshop for parents conducted by the Gallaudet University staff. Please adjust your calendars accordingly.

Educational Staff Attendance – On the new state appraisal forms issued last spring, the "Attendance and Punctuality" portion has been deleted. The Education Team uses the following guideline:

Outstanding	0 - 1 absences
Very Good	3 absences
Satisfactory	5 absences
Marginal	7 absences
Unsatisfactory.	9 absences

Even though there is no formal line for this part of the evaluation, the employee's comment sheet will be used to denote the employee's attendance and punctuality.

Need Volunteers? - We are very fortunate that we live in a wonderful country that is in many ways built on volunteerism. It is easy to visualize how many programs and projects would never evolve without the spirit of volunteers. Volunteers add to the richness, the warmth, and the very quality of our lives. Volunteers truly complete the circle throughout our communities with their work, compassion, friendship, leadership and inspiration.

With those inspirational words in mind, I have received several applications from various people who want to do volunteer work at ISD. These volunteers can work a variety of times to assist in your department. They have a wide variety of skills. If you are interested in having a volunteer, please contact me (Donna Stutler) at 311 or dastutler@isfd.state.in.us to discuss your needs. Remember, volunteers help make ISD WORLD CLASS.

Ball State Volunteers - During the BSU participants' stay at ISD, they must complete 15 hours of volunteer work per month. This year, we have 19 participants. At this time, they are working in the Residence Halls, Assessment Center, ASL Lab, Interpreting Services, Outreach Department, Athletics, and several other areas. If you have a project or projects that need assistance, please contact Donna Stutler so that she can post it in the BSU pod area. No project is too big or too small. Let BSU assist you with your projects.

ISDTV – After a very tiny fanfare, I am pleased to announce our first little ISDTV station. You can see it in action now. Walk over to the High School hallway on the 1st floor next from Linda Lloyd office. There is a TV sitting on a stand running ISDTV on a continuous basis (24 hours). The programs you are seeing now on the TV are actually broadcast from the IPTV servers in the Technology Center. ISDTV will eventually be run on all those TVs mounted on the walls all over the campus once the new school network is operational. Darin Turner will change programs now and then as we learn the best techniques to capture and manage video for broadcast. Darin and I welcome any public comments and feedback. Enjoy...

Opportunities

Spice Up Your Homework - HomeworkSpot.com is a free homework information portal that features K-12 homework-related sites together with editorial in one high-utility, educational spot. Students, parents and teachers, HomeworkSpot's team of educators, librarians and journalists scoured the Web to bring together resources for English, math, science, history, art, music, technology, foreign language, college prep, health, life skills, extracurricular activities and more. Best part is that most of these resources are organized into grade-appropriate categories for elementary, middle and high school.

<http://www.homeworkspot.com>

Public Service – The Fall Calendar for Open-Captioned Films at Kerasotes Showplace 11, 1351 College Mall Road, Bloomington, Indiana is:

September 26	Replacements (starring Keanu Reeves & gene Hackman)
October 10 & 11	Nutty Professor II – The Klumps (starring Eddie Murphy)
October 17 & 18	Bring It On
October 24 & 25	Space Cowboys (starring Clint Eastwood, Tommy Lee Jones, Donald Sutherland & James Garner)

Call the theater at 812-331-2032 for more information.

SRC Duty

MS – Pat Pullum

HS - Rita Mowl Debbie Willman

Staff Working Off Campus

Linda Carty will be attending the INCOLA Conference from 9:00 to 4:00 today.

Staff Absences

Preschool

Elementary Dawn Walker

James Carr (John Lestina is subbing.)

Middle School Ken Anderson

Peggy Baldridge

High School Mary Power

Linda Lloyd (Leaving at 2:30)

Principal's Office

Outreach

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Friday, September 22, 2000

Two roads diverged in a wood, and I – I took the one less traveled by, and that has made all the difference. – Robert Frost

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Today's Activities

5:00 Jodee Crace's presentation to the MS & HS students and staff on the search of a new superintendent
8:15 A. Feldhoff Assess
8:30 A. Alcorn Observe
9:00 Aaron Fieldhoff, age 12 will be at ISD for an assessment and a tour. He and his family will eat lunch on campus.
S. Reynolds Home Visit
10:00 C. Jensen ACR
1:00 A. Beatty ACR 2
3:00 J. Allen CC
7:30 HS Football at ISD against Lapel

Today's Menu

Lunch
Roast Beef
Oven Browned Potatoes
Green Beans
Fresh Grapes

Announcements

Sports Update - ISD Varsity Volleyball Team breezed past Morton Memorial last night, 2 - 0. It was almost a disaster however when Coach Bippus wrote down the wrong rotation in the 1st game. But, the girls managed to play well; 15 - 7. The 2nd game gave the team's starters some rest, and they enjoyed cheering from the bench; 15 - 3. The Player of the Match was Erica Hossler with 8 serve aces and 7 kills. The team's record is 12 - 3, and the next match is at home against Manual on Wednesday, September, 27 (4:30).

Students – IMPORTANT – Please DO NOT sit on the railing in front of the bleachers at ISD football games. Also do not bring footballs or other athletics balls to the football games. Principal Kovatch is concerned that someone will be injured falling off the bleacher railing or be struck by a car playing in the grassy areas. Thank you for your cooperation.

Activity Period – The Middle School and High School Departments will not have an Activity Period again until Wednesday, October 4.

Daily Bulletin – The DB will be published by Pam Lewis on Monday, September 25 and Tuesday, September 26. If you have announcements for the DB on those days, please send them to Pam Lewis at plewsi@isfd.state.in.us.

Volunteers Needed – Volunteers are needed to assist with the Mr. & Ms. ISD Teen Pageant on November 16. The openings include stage manager, assistant stage manager, house manager, spotlight crew, backstage crew, reception committee, transportation committee, registration committee, activities committee and greeting committee. If you are interested in volunteer for one or more of the openings, please contact Cindy Pickering or Yvonne Catt before October 2nd.

FROM the PTCO CO-Presidents – Beatrice Pfaff and Rick Ogan want everyone to know that PTCO will cosponsor a “public hearing” to discuss the role of the new ISD superintendent on October 5 at 6:00 pm. The School Board’s ad hoc committee, which includes Jodee Crace and Scott Jensen, is asking the ISD stakeholders (PTCO, ISDAA, parents, IAD, Deaf Community Services, LEAs, Special Education Directors, etc.) what the role of the new superintendent should be. This information will help the School Board update the superintendent’s job description. The October 5 meeting is to help the committee gather information on the superintendent’s role. Please come to the meeting and invite others who are interested in ISD.

Staff Working Off Campus

Molly Peters and Deb Liebrich will be on a home visit to a family in Columbus.

Lori Dille and Brenda Tress-Mowl will be attending an Individual Family Service Plan meeting in Shelbyville.

Cindy Lawrence is at a First Steps meeting until noon.

SRC Duty

HS - Rita Mowl

Staff Absences

Preschool	Connie Jones
Elementary	Dawn Walker James Carr (Lane Grover is subbing.) Dave Tester (Jill Lestina is subbing.) Kara Knebel Mike McGeath Peggy Baldridge Mary Powers Rachele Powers (Linda Krieger is subbing until 1:35.) Linda Lloyd (Late)
Middle School	
High School	
Principal's Office	
Outreach	Carol Wild

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Monday, September 25, 2000

No pessimist ever discovered the secret of the stars, or sailed to an uncharted land, or opened a new doorway for the human spirit. – Helen Keller

FIREBALLS AT WORK

FIREBALLS to U. Sung Chung, Avis DuPree, Jonas Fenicle, Sue Jones, Laura Gaalema, and Danielle Griska for giving up their evening to clean up our Elementary Library. It now looks like a warm place where there are many windows out to a beautiful world, just as Thomas Jefferson stated that books are windows to the world. And, FIREBALLS to David Geeslin for being so eloquent.

Today's Activities

9:00	K. Crohn	HE
	R. Kikuchi	CC
	S. Gerbrandt	CC
	B. Berry	Assess 4
10:00	T. Johnson	ACR 2
1:00	H. Redman	CC
	T. Hites	ACR
1:30	Z. Wahab	HE
2:00	R. Hobbs	CC
2:30	B. O'Connor	CC
4:30	HS Cross Country at Lutheran	
	JV Football at Northwest	

Today's Menu

Lunch
Fish Square
Baked Fish*
Corn
Seasoned Cabbage
Nachos & Cheese with Salsa*
Cookies

Dinner
Beef Patty & Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Spinach
Pears

Breakfast
Orange Juice
Dry Cereal
Scrambled Eggs
Ham

Upcoming Activities

September 26	Education Team Meeting (9:00)
	MS Volleyball at St. Richards (4:30)
	MS Football with Christian Park Jaguars (4:45)
September 27	HS Volleyball with Manual (4:30)
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Wednesday	Cowboy & Cowgirl Day
Thursday	Flag Day
Friday	Powerful Orange & Black Day

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Welcome to Outreach – The Outreach Department is happy to announce the appointment of Paula Kay Reum to the department. Paula Kay is replacing Kim VanZuilen as the secretary to the Outreach Director, Judy Cass.

Paula Kay attended Franklin College, Herron School of Art, IUPUI before graduating from Vincennes University program here on campus. Paula Kay worked for Matthew Krueger, Dean of Boys for approximately one year.

Paula Kay is anxiously awaiting the start of the Pacer season. She is a very loyal fan. She has three pets at home, which include two cats and a fish, which keep her very busy.

Please welcome Paula Kay when you see her around campus.

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Opportunities

The Central Indiana Educational Service Center and Indiana University are offering a series of professional development opportunities entitled Cybersnax through distance learning. This means that staff can take the class for IU credit or non-credit at ISD in the Distance Learning Classrooms (Rooms 7206 and 7212 of the Vocational Building). The classes are free unless the staff member wants to earn college credit. In that case, the course costs \$168.60 per credit hour. Handouts can be downloaded from <Http://ciesc.k12.in.us/cybersnax>. Registration for IU credit also occurs at this website. The courses are:

- Technology/Computers for Teachers 4:00 – 4:40 (1 credit) September 19, 26 & October 5
- Secondary Math/Graphing Calculators 3:30 – 4:10 (1 credit) October 3, 10 & 17
- Elementary Math Strategies 4:00 – 4:40 (1 credit) October 12, 19 & 24
- Secondary Math Strategies 3:30 – 4:10 (1 credit) November 7, 14 & 21
- Elementary Reading & Writing 4:00 – 4:40 (2 credits) November 1, 8, 15, 20 & 29
- Elementary Science Methods 4:00 – 4:40 (2 credits) November 2, 6, 9, 16, 28 & 30
- National Board Certification 4:00 – 4:40 (No credit) January 9
- Will You Be Financially Fit When You Hit the Rule of 85? 4:00 – 4:40 (No credit) January 10 & 11
- Wellness for Educators 4:00 – 4:40 (2 credits) January 16, February 6, 20, March 6 & 20
- Secondary Science Methods 3:30 – 4:10 (3 credits) January 17, 24, 31, February 14, 21, 28, March 8 & 15
- Secondary Reading & Writing 3:30 – 4:10 (2 credits) January 18, 25, February 8, 15 & 22
- Differentiated Instruction 4:00 – 4:40 (2 credits) January 23, February 7, March 7, 14 & 27
- Technology & Multimedia 4:00 – 4:40 (2 credits) February 13, 27, March 13, 22 April 10 & 17
- Educators Dressing for Success 4:00 – 4:40 (No credit) March 1 & 21
- Authentic Assessment 4:00 – 4:40 (2 credits) April 11, 18, 24, & 26

The above courses will also be available through video streaming later in the year. For more information about these classes, contact Dan Stutler at 924-8414 or djstutler@isfd.state.in.us.

ICRID Fall Conference & Annual Meeting and Workshops – On October 27 & 28, 2000, the Indiana Chapter of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf will have its Fall Conference. Presenters will include Jim Van Manen and Cynthia Roy. Registration will occur on Friday evening and include a costume party, auction and finger foods. On Saturday, the agenda will include breakfast, the business meeting, concurrent workshops, lunch, keynote speaker, banquet and awards. Fees for the conference are \$80 for ICRID/IAD/Region III members and \$100 non-members. For a registration form or more information, contact Janet Beattie at jebbeattie@purdue.edu [Work: 765/496-2973 Home: 765/420-004 or David Calvert: Terp06@aol.com]

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Principal's Office	Jeff Richards
Outreach	Diane Jones

ISD Daily Bulletin

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Tuesday, September 26, 2000

In the depths of the winter I finally learned there was in me an invincible summer. — Albert Camus

Today's Activities

8:15	K. Bennett-Vanover	Assess
9:00	Education Team Meeting in the Principal's Office	
9:30	C. Pike	HE
10:00	J. Jones	ACR 2
10:45	M. Kennedy	Consultation
1:00	R. Anderson	ACR
	D. Showers	ACR
3:45	S. Jones	HE
4:30	MS Volleyball at St. Richards	
	MS Football with Christian Park Jaguars	

Today's Menu

Lunch	Dinner	Breakfast
Deli Turkey & Cheese	Frank-topped Spaghetti	Pineapple Juice
French Fries	Salad	Dry Cereal
Pudding	Garlic Bread	Poached Eggs
	Apricots	Bacon
		Danish

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Opportunities

The Indianapolis Zoo has several distance learning opportunities this school year including the following:

Plants Surround Us

October 10

9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45

<input type="checkbox"/> The Role of Plants in a Zoo	March 5	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Indiana Wildflowers	April 16	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Plant Diagnostics	April 30	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Birds of Prey	November 8, January 29 or May 1	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Australian Adventure	September 6 or April 11	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Snakes	October 11, December 11, January 16 or 22	10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Elephants	April 10 or May 22	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Endangered Species	October 18, November 14, 3/27 or 5/7	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> The Amazing Amazon	October 17, 11/20, 1/23, 2/26 or 3/13	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Seal vs. Sea Lion	November 21, 1/24, 2/21 or 3/26	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuxedo Junction	October 24, 11/6, 1/8, 2/28 or 3/12	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Coral Reef	November 15, March 14, or April 17	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Deserts	October 11 or November 7	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Primates	April 24 or May 21	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Animal Tales	January 17 or May 8	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Adaptations	November 13 or March 20	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Bones	November 28 or May 15	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Career Moves (Series)	10/4, 11/1, 12/18, 1/3 & 7	10-10:45 or 2-2:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Classification (Series)	10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23 & 10/30	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Senses (Series)	2/6, 2/13, 2/20 & 2/27	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45
<input type="checkbox"/> Africa (Series)	5/2, 5/9, 5/16 & 5/23	9-9:45, 10-10:45, 11-11:45 or 1-1:45

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Staff Absences

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Elementary	Suzi McGeath Angie Smith - late
Middle School	Dave Tester
High School	Mary Power Elen Zook – Sub is John Lestina
Principal's Office	
Outreach	Diane Jones Jennifer Seet
Student Life	

ISD DAILY BULLETIN

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Friday, September 29, 2000

Sweat plus sacrifice equals success. - Charlie Finley

FIREBALLS AT WORK

FIREBALLS to all of the High School Election 2000 Committees for doing a great job. Special FIREBALLS to Sondra Gullion for helping the HS Election Newspaper Committee; HS greatly appreciates your help.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

8:45	MS & HS Homecoming Pep rally in the Auditorium (Please observe the Activity Period Schedule)
9:30	R. Kikuchi HAE
11:00	B. Jared HE
1:00	C. Sieera HE

SATURDAY

- 1:00 Couch Potato Raffle tickets are on sale.
2:00 Homecoming & HS Football against MSSD

TODAY'S MENU

Lunch
Chicken Salad
Chips
Seasoned Broccoli
Ice Cream Sundae

Dinner
Chili Mac
Cheese & Crackers
Tossed Salad
Dessert

Breakfast
Orange Juice
Dry Cereal
Scrambled Eggs
Bacon
Toast/Danish

SATURDAY'S MENU

Lunch
BBQ or Chicken Fillet
Soup & Crackers
Chips
Salad Bar
Dessert

Dinner
Spaghetti
Tossed Salad
Garlic Bread
Dessert

Breakfast
Pineapple Juice
Dry cereal
Waffles
Sausage
Donuts

Sunday's Menu

Lunch
Deli Turkey
Soup
Chips & Crackers
Dessert

Dinner
Pizza
Seasoned Corn
Salad
Fruit & Cookies

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Sports Update - ISD Varsity Volleyball Team didn't rise to the challenge that Ritter brought into our building. We hurt ourselves with many errors in all areas but managed to keep the game close. The team is definitely a far BETTER team than Ritter, yet they got away from us - 13 - 15, 15 - 9, 13 - 15.

The Player of the Match was Brooke Aldrete with 9 assists, 1 service ace and 1 kill. Our record is 13 - 4, and the next match is against Kokomo Christian at ISD on Tuesday October 3. It was a frustrating evening.

Couch Potato Raffle

at
ISD Homecoming
Tickets on Sale at 12:30 pm,
Saturday, September 30

\$1 = 1 ticket
\$5 = 7 tickets

Profits support PS & Elementary playground equipment.

What a beautiful day for the runners at Riverside host by Tech. High School! We had 8 different schools in the meet. The first race was freshmen and sophomores and had 26 entries. C.L. Young placed 20th (23:38), Nick Curtin placed 22nd (25:22), and Drew Robarge placed 23rd (25:58). The second race had 27 boys who were juniors and seniors. Tim Marshall was the only one involved and placed 27th (23:00). It was tough for him, because they were all experienced runners. Good job! On Wednesday, MS Volleyball teams played Park Tudor. In the 5th & 6th Grade games, Park Tudor beat us 2 - 1. At first, the team was not playing at its best. But in the 2nd match, the girls showed them our best and beat them. In the 3rd match, Park Tudor worked hard to beat us!

The 7th/8th Grade Volleyball Team beat Park Tudor 2 - 0. The first game was an easy win at 15 - 4. ISD improved its serving and 3-pass plays. In the 2nd match, the team didn't play its best. Park Tudor led with a score of 14-4. Amanda Krieger's serves made the team come from behind to beat them 16 - 14. The Player of the Match was Amanda Krieger. The team celebrated their win with no practice on Thursday. Instead, they cheered on the Varsity and JC Teams against Ritter.

New Family Orientation – Saturday's NFO is cancelled. Diane Hazel-Jones will conduct individual family orientations.

New from Interpreting Services - Brenda Nicodemus, one of our staff interpreters, has accepted a teaching position in the University of New Mexico's Bachelors Degree Program in Interpreting. During this time she will pursue a Ph.D. in Linguistics. Brenda will continue working at I.S.D. as a freelance interpreter until January. We are grateful to Brenda for her many contributions to the ISD community. When you see her, wish her well!

Deaf Heritage Week - As you may be aware, Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services will continue its tradition hosting the Deaf Heritage Week celebration in the Statehouse Rotunda North Atrium this Monday, October 2 from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. You are welcomed to drop in during your busy schedule to say hello to everyone if you can. You will see a lot of community-related services and businesses displaying their items in booths.

DCC Meeting - Deaf Concerns Council will have its first meeting this year on Thursday, October 12th from 3:15 to 4:00 pm in the Distance Learning Room 7205. The agenda will be: a list of concerns; a possible vote for officers; how often we will meet; an action plan; and other.

United Way - This is a reminder that time is getting short for donations to the State Employee Contribution Campaign. If you plan to have money deducted from your paycheck, please turn in your form to Sylvia Applegate. State Personnel will handle the donation for a deduction from your paycheck. If you wanted to give a cash donation, please bring back the form and donation to Sylvia's office. All forms need to be turned in by October 10, even if you don't plan to contribute to the campaign. Sylvia Applegate does need the form back. Just put an "X" across the page. Sylvia thanks everyone who has contributed and those who have turned in their forms to her at this time. So far it looks like the school is reaching its higher level of donations ever. Thanks to everyone for contributing to these many worthwhile causes.

Letter to the Community Regarding ISD's Superintendent Search Process - Dear ISD Stakeholders,

As previously announced, Superintendent George Stailey will be leaving the position of Superintendent and taking a new position in ISD's Residential Program next year. As a result of this decision, the ISD School Board has established a Superintendent Search Planning Process in preparation for selecting a new Superintendent. Given the importance of this decision, the ISD School Board is seeking input from students, parents, staff, alumni, and other interested stakeholders. More specifically, the Board is asking the community for input regarding the qualities and skills that the new Superintendent should possess. To receive community input, the Board's Superintendent Search Planning Committee will be holding a public forum on Thursday, October 5th, 2000. The forum will take place at the Irene Hodock Library in Alumni Hall from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. In the near future, the Board will also be distributing a survey to collect input from community members who are not able to attend the public forum. In closing, we encourage you to share your ideas and recommendations so that ISD will benefit from this transition and emerge even stronger. - Scott Jensen, Chairman, ISD Board

STAFF WORKING OFF CAMPUS

Carol Wild, Cindy Lawrence and Judy Cass will attend the ICASE meeting today.

Lori Dille will attend a First Steps Committee meeting from 9:00 - 11:00.

SRC DUTY

HS - Rita Mowl

STAFF ABSENCES

Preschool	Connie Jones Chris Carr
Elementary	Guy Volmar (Leaving at noon; Jill Lestina is subbing.)
Middle School	Peggy Baldridge (Jill Lestina and John Lestina are subbing.) Ken Anderson (Coming in noon; John Lestina is subbing.)
High School	Carrie Martin (Kim Galagan is subbing.)

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